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Thursday, January 30, 1975

New Life Campaign At Calvary Baptist

Calvary Baptist Church announces the coming of Roland Reed as guest evangelist, missionary and pastor, for one week of special services. As a missionary Roland Reed has served 26 years and had the joy of seeing over 30 churches established as hundreds of souls have come to know Jesus Christ. He has seen over 40 young people under his ministry leave to preach the gospel around the world.

The services will be held each evening at 7:30 p.m. beginning Monday, February 3rd through Saturday the 8th with Sunday services at 11:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. Free counseling services will be available each afternoon at the church for those who are interested. In addition to an M.A. in Theology from Eastern Theological Seminary, Roland Reed has a degree in Cultural Anthropology, and a Masters degree in psychology from the University of Minnesota. He has also done graduate work in psychology and drugs at the University of Wisconsin.

Roland Reed will soon become director of Baptist Missions of Minnesota. For those who are interested he came from a Roman Catholic family with one uncle who is a bishop in the Roman Catholic Church. Each person in the Grayling area is invited to attend any or all of the above services at your convenience. If you need a ride or wish to make an appointment for counseling, phone 348-9220.

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1936 GRAYLING KIWANIS CLUB—Some of the members of the club promoting winter sports are shown above: standing from left, Dr. Stealey, Amos Hunter, Gerald Poor, U. Harley Russell, Oscar Shuman, Charles Moore, Chris Olson, Dr. Clippert, Esbern Hanson, Jesse Schoonover, Fred Welsh, and Dr. J.F. Cook. Seated from left are: George Granger, Holger Peterson, Roy Trudgeon, Emil Glogling, Ron Reynolds, and Farnum Matson.

Kiwanis

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the youth and people of Grayling through such enterprises as the Christmas-time goodfellow paper sales the proceeds of which are given for a host of community services.

January also marks the sixtieth anniversary of Kiwanis International which was founded in Detroit in 1915. It is interesting to note that during the past five years 1,173 new Kiwanis Clubs have been organized in the 46 countries comprising Kiwanis International.

Fr. John Carlton
Club Press Sec'y.

Air Force Unit Award

ROME, N.Y.—Airman First Class Wade B. Gee, son of retired Air Force Colonel and Mrs. James G. Farley of Grayling, is a member of a unit that recently received the U.S. Air Force Outstanding Unit Award.

The airman is a 1973 graduate of Grayling High School.

Chairman

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Manager of Glen's Market and Family Center, has been named Bowling Chairman for the 1975 M.O.D. Campaign.

This will be Denny's 7th year of helping in the M.O.D. program. 4 of these years he has served as Chapter Chairman. You will always find Denny helping in many local volunteer programs each year.

The bowling program will be held the last 2 weeks of February.

Yours truly,
Wm. B. Commons
Campaign Director

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Jack Pine's Stump

A day last week was one of those times when I got paid, and I spent a couple of hours hurrying about our fair community spreading happiness by paying bills. And I owe a considerable sum. But I have decided, in my infinite wisdom, that our local people are to be paid first - especially the Bank. Banks have a tendency to get a bit uptight about past due payments. But our local bank has never given me a hard time, a fact which I deeply appreciate. Maybe that is why I try to pay the Bank so promptly (when I have the money). Anyway, the last people I intend to pay are the oil companies, whose credit cards I used so freely for so long. Right now I need the money more than they do, so to hell with 'em.

-JP-

One of the places I did visit that memorable day was the Ford shop where I paid a long overdue bill and fell into conversation with a most grateful owner-Bill Hart. And Bill told me something which is not only very encouraging but a bit surprising, too. He said that last week his new car sales had started to pick up - but not oddly enough, in the Ford products which have a rebate attached. It's the other cars. Sorta weird, isn't it?

-JP-

Whitey introduced a new column to his readers last week - written by one Jaymee Seidel and called "Main Stream Musings." It's a good column, too. Several years ago there was a part-time column in the Avalanche which was named "Main Stream Meanderings," as I remember. Strange as it might seem the old "Meanderings" column man and the new "Musings" column woman are practically next door neighbors on the Main Stream. I wish Mrs. Seidel the very best of everything with her column and hope that she keeps it up for a long time to come.

So much for being nice. I think this winter "fishing for fun" deal promoted by, natural-



ly, TU, on certain trout waters is for the birds. And they wouldn't even do it-not even a dumb bird. I don't know what TU and its go-along lackeys in the DNR Fish Division are trying to prove. Nothing, I would guess, but at least it indicates that both groups are thinking - certainly a most welcome change.

-JP-

Well, I wanna do a little bit of business for one of my pet projects. Our annual Winter Sports Festival. You know, that thing has been going a long time - like 50 years now without a break. It's by far the longest continually-running such event in the State - maybe even in the nation. It covers almost half the time the city of Grayling has been on the map, lacking about three years. Anyway, to sort of commemorate this event the Chamber of Commerce has got some real nice commemorative mugs, suitably inscribed and all that stuff. They also keep coffee warm. The mugs are available for two bucks each or two for \$3.50. But the supply is limited and you can only get them at the Chamber office. It's a good deal, and besides the income generated will help finance the Winter Sports Festival. I wonder what I could sell to help finance old.....

JACK PINE

CARD OF THANKS

The Women's Club and Hoboy Club of Frederic.

We would like to thank the ladies who so kindly gave their time to serve the dinner to the family and friends of Warren Horner. Their thoughtfulness was greatly appreciated.

your week ahead BY DR. A.W. DAMIS

Forecast Period: February 2 to February 8

- ARIES**
Mar. 21-Apr. 19
Throwing out subtle "feelers" about a long term plan...will be received with little or no enthusiasm. It would be a good idea to keep your future objectives-to yourself.
- TAURUS**
Apr. 20-May 20
This "cosmic" cycle, you are entering an emotionally low mental phase. So, it's likely that you'll over magnify any adverse news-connected with the other sex.
- GEMINI**
May 21-June 20
Quitting your job or project, at this time, is out of the question. None-the-less, the thought of "throwing up your hands" will haunt you for the next few days.
- MOONCHILD**
June 21-July 22
This coming week will be favorable for contacting the general public. So, if you are involved in sales or a similar occupation-look for good things!
- LEO**
July 23-Aug. 22
It's true, you're putting much, much too much effort into your job or project. Really, it's time for you to let up and take off the pressure.
- VIRGO**
Aug. 23-Sept. 22
It's possible for you to over estimate your ability. Experience gained in the far distant past is now outmoded. Approach your job, task or project, cautiously.
- LIBRA**
Sept. 23-Oct. 22
Oddly enough, you're going to welcome an interruption in your daily routine. Postponements, during this cosmic cycle, take on a surprisingly pleasant twist.
- SCORPIO**
Oct. 23-Nov. 21
It's the same old medicine in a new bottle. Take care, there's indications that a member of the opposite sex-will take you for a financial ride.
- SAGITTARIUS**
Nov. 22-Dec. 21
There's questionable advice in your chart. It seems that most members of your sign should follow dictates of the heart. So, logical thinking might be troublesome.
- CAPRICORN**
Dec. 22-Jan. 19
A build up of obligations could cause most members of your sign...domestic problems. Check with home base before you commit yourself to an outside schedule.
- AQUARIUS**
Jan. 20-Feb. 18
There's no cause for alarm. Stellar patterns could trigger a feeling of being restless, for no particular reason. Throw yourself into a new project or interest.
- PISCES**
Feb. 19-Mar. 20
Take care, news is heading your way that will not be appreciated-if you pass it on to your routine associates. In other words, good news for you-could be bad news for someone else.

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GRAYLING, MICHIGAN — THURSDAY, JANUARY 30, 1975

Good Omen

According to a Gallup Poll, 77 percent of the American people name the high cost of living as the most important problem facing the nation. Most interesting of all the facts turned up by the Gallup survey is the point that some 64 percent of the American people apparently plan to reduce their spending in order to counter rising prices, and 44 percent blame the federal government as the chief instigator of the inflationary process.

If enough people act in accordance with these convictions, half the battle of controlling inflation would be won. It is demand for scarce goods and services that helps feed the fires of rising prices, and it is public demand for government services that boosts the level of federal spending and contributes to uncontrollable budget deficits and inflation. If the public mood is to cut its own high living habits and if public opinion forces the federal bureaucracy to do the same, there is little question but what the future of the United States, economically speaking, will be a lot brighter than many people now expect.

Why Not Hatch?

As one gentleman by the name of C. S. Lewis observed, "...you cannot go on being a good egg forever; you must either hatch or rot." The root of many of America's difficulties may lie in the fact that not enough people have taken the trouble to hatch. The president of the Foundation for Economic Education, Inc. has observed that, "...hatching must be the objective of the individual for his own sake—the eye focused on the growth of one's own consciousness, not the reforming of others." In seeking an individual of integrity and purpose, he suggests looking in a mirror and not elsewhere. Try your best and hope for the best; others will follow and some may pass you.

As this modern philosopher puts it, "Make hatching a game of leapfrog—the greatest game in life!" Not bad advice for over 200 million people who have to get their nation back on the track. The last thing the United States needs right now is a bunch of rotten eggs.

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Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

23 YEARS AGO
January 31, 1952

A special meeting of Grayling Chapter O.E.S. number 83 was held at the Masonic Temple recently and the following candidates were initiated into the order: Mrs. Doris Palmer, Mrs. Thelma Madsen, William Jensen and James McGee.

Miss Mary Ellen Madill of Flint was up over the weekend to visit her parents, the Charles Madills.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Smith and son, Terry, spent the weekend in the Upper Peninsula visiting her mother, Mrs. William Bonifas. Mrs. Smith and Terry remained for a longer visit.

Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Puffer spent Saturday in Big Rapids to see the new building being erected at Ferris Institute. En route home they stopped in Ewart and visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sebring.

Miss Joan Bond arrived home from M.S.C. East Lansing, Friday and with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bond and brothers, James and John, spent the weekend in Burnside visiting Mr. Bond's mother, Mrs. Laura Bond Williams.

Axel Peterson, Jr., has been promoted to sergeant and is stationed in Puerto Rico.

To celebrate their wedding anniversary on January 30th, Mr. and Mrs. Clement Blaine entertained the members of the Just Us Club and their husbands at a pinocle party at their home. High scores were held by Mrs. Sam Gust and Leland Marshall, and low score by Mrs. Wm. LaGrow and Sam Gust. Late in the evening a delicious lunch was served.

Mrs. Henrietta Sorenson was hostess for the regular meeting of the Lutheran Senior Ladies Aid at her home last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Algot Johnson is entertaining the Danish Reading Circle at her home this Thursday afternoon.

At home for Flint for a vacation are Gene Kaiser, Johnny Harmer and wife, Emerson Shawl, Dick Shawl and wife, their parents, Henry Shawl and wife, Joan Madill, Mary Ellen Madill, also John Madill who will visit his parents about a week and then join the Army.

Lee Charron, son of Lytle Charron of Frederic who has been ill with pneumonia, is much better at this writing.

Harold Riggs, who joined the Marines a short time ago is home for a six day leave and will then be transferred to S. Carolina.

46 YEARS AGO
January 31, 1929

Petitions are being signed asking the village council to pass such legislation as is deemed necessary to enforce the elimination of radio interference.

The boys and girls of Grayling High School were given the responsibility of selecting a queen for the Winter Carnival to be held here Saturday and Miss Dorothy May was the lucky girl to receive the honors.

Mrs. Nick Schjotz is hostess this afternoon to the Danish Ladies Aid Society.

Little Donald Smock visited with his aunt, Mrs. J. Green at Roscommon over Sunday.

Robert H. Gillett left Monday afternoon for Bay City on business expecting to be gone several days.

Isaac Shirey came to Grayling Saturday and bought a fine new Essex Town Sedan from Corwin Auto Sales.

Mrs. Amos Buck of Michelson is visiting her mother, Mrs. Sarah Buck of this city for the week.

Mrs. Ernest Richardson of South Branch was the guest of Mrs. Frank Ahman Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Walter Lamont and children have moved to Lansing to be with Mr. Lamont who has a good position at the Olds Plant.

Ed Moore is at work after a few days lay off due to an injury to his hand.

Mr. and Mrs. John Charlefour returned last week from Black River where they were called by the illness of his mother.

Miss Nina Sorenson who has a position at the Gaylord hospital came home Monday afternoon to spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. Victor Sorenson.

Emil Kraus suffered painful, though not serious injury to muscles and tendons in his leg Sunday at the slide when his toboggan overturned.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kolka welcomed a new eleven pound son who will be known as Gerald, Monday, January 21.

Mrs. Orlo Shreve returned Tuesday from Canada, where she had been visiting relatives and will be a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Dominic Galvani, before returning to her home on the AuSable.

Mr. St. John of Niles has purchased the Z. Alvin Goff house on Ogema Street that is now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Lorraine Sparks.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nadeau entertained several friends at a dinner Sunday evening to honor the 35th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Axel LaGrow.

Mrs. Frank Barber visited over the weekend with her daughters, Mrs. Charles Corwin and Mrs. Dan Babbitt.

Dewey Palmer and John Stephan are driving to Flint today to look for work and will visit their brother-in-law, Oscar DeKrow.

The Misses Agnes Hanson and Helga Jorgenson entertained with a delightful Valentine party Wednesday evening at the home of the latter. All came in comic costumes. Miss Ingeborg Hanson as Sylvia Appleby won the prize.

69 YEARS AGO
February 1, 1906

J. S. Harrington and wife visited at her brothers, J. K. Bates, in Maple Forest last Sunday.

C. J. Hathaway, jeweler and optician, will open a jewelry shop in Miss Williams millinery shop on or about February 5th.

A very quiet wedding took place at the home of G. M. Metcalf Tuesday, the 30th at 11:00 when Richard J. Babbitt and Miss Alta L. Masters both of Frederic were united in marriage by Rev. J. F. Thompson.

Mrs. H. S. McCullough of Bay City is visiting Mrs. C. T. Jerome, her sister.

Dr. H. W. Knapp is now nicely located in his new office rooms over the drug store in the Michelson brick block in Johanneburg.

Calendar Of Events

Alan meeting every Thursday at 8:00 p.m., basement of Michelson Methodist Church, room #5. Meeting open to anyone who has a drinking problem in their family.

2nd & 4th Thursday: Eagles Club meets at the American Legion Hall at 8:00 p.m.

2nd & 4th Thursday: Eagles Auxiliary meeting at the Grayling Sportsman Club, 8:00 p.m.

2nd Thursday of every month. Welcome Wagon meeting held at Chief Shoppenagons at 7:30 p.m.

Every Sunday Night at 7:30. Bingo, Senior Citizen's Center.

First and Third Friday of every month Fish Fry at the Frederic Inn, for the Frederic Fire Department.

Feb. 4: Frederic Homecoming meeting, 8:00 p.m., Frederic Sportsman's Hall.

Feb. 5: Frederic Business Association meeting, 8 p.m., at the Frederic Sportsman Hall.

Feb. 12: Organizational meeting for Twins Club, 7:30 p.m. at St. Francis Episcopal Church, M-72 West. All area mothers of twins are invited to attend.

Feb. 13: Senior Citizen Potluck, 5:00 at the Frederic Sportsman Club. Bring a dish to pass and own table service.

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THE BIBLE SPEAKS

From Calvary Baptist Church

ANXIETY AND WORRY

Our age is often spoken of as the age of anxiety. Apparently there has never been a period in history when the entire world has been caught up in such fear and anxiety as we face today. We are confronted with world wide energy shortages, material shortages, inflation, recession, growing crime problems, educational problems, family problems, the constant threat of warfare and the pressure of Communist aggression. Every attempted solution seems to lead us into more problems. People feel insecure as never before.

Anxiety is taking its toll as millions of people suffer the loss of mental and physical health.

Some people try to appear optimistic even in the face of worsening conditions. They try to explain away reality and live in a dream world of human hope. Other people turn to alcohol and drugs to dull the mental anguish and give some temporary relief to their shattered nerves. They only awaken in the morning to face the same reality in a weakened mind and body.

People who do not believe the literal prophecy of the Bible must face the future with uncertainty and often with fear. Only Bible Christians who trust fully in Jesus Christ can face the future with full assurance of real hope.

God has said: "Commit thy works unto the Lord, and thy thoughts shall be established." Proverbs 16:3. If the daily activities of our lives are committed to God's will, He has promised to give us established thoughts in place of our worry and anxiety.

God has said: "Let your conversation (or lifestyle) be without covetousness; and be content with such things as ye have: for he hath said, I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee." Hebrews 13:5. We should not be caught up in lust and greed for material gain, but rather rejoice in contentment because God has given Himself to us to be with us and meet our every need. His abiding presence should be more important to us than the wealth of all the world.

God has said: "Cast thy burden upon the Lord, and he shall sustain thee: he shall never suffer the righteous to be moved." Psalms 55:22. God repeats this thought in I Peter 5:7: "Casting all your care upon him: for he careth for you." The God who created you and me cares for us and does not want us to be destroyed by anxiety and fear.

God has said: "Be careful (or anxious) for nothing; but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God. And the peace of God, which passeth all understanding, shall keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus." Philippians 4:6,7. Here he tells us how to cast our cares upon Him by simply telling Him in prayer what is troubling us and asking Him to resolve the problems, then trusting Him to work things out and settle our nerves.

Only the Bible Christian may be rid of all fear, worry and anxiety, and in their place know the peace of God which passeth all understanding. If you do not know this peace in your own daily life, and you would like some assistance in finding it, just give me a call. God does not wish you to remain miserable and neither do I. (Adv.)

Pastor Barnett

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank Dr. Henig and the hospital staff for their care; Sorenson Funeral Home, Rev. Paul Weber, the Masonic Lodge and Veterans of Foreign War for the services; also, all of our neighbors from Lovells, Grayling Mobile Estates, Down River and other friends for their remembrances and expressions of sympathy during the illness and death of my husband.

Mabel Warnick

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Dr. Casler at Vet Seminar

EAST LANSING — New surgical procedures and other innovations to further animal health were featured Jan. 21 and 22 at a Michigan State University medical conference attended by Grayling's veterinarian.

Dr. Wayne Casler of 404 McClellan was among more than 300 professionals participating in the 52nd annual post-graduate conference sponsored by MSU's College of Veterinary Medicine.

Fifty topic areas, from acupuncture for horses to abdominal radiology for cats, were presented in seminars, clinical demonstrations and case presentations. Discussions also included the changing status of veterinary medical student admissions, an overview of the MSU College of Osteopathic Medicine, and medical experiences in the recent Arab-Israeli war.

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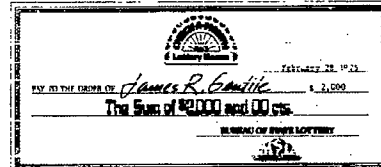
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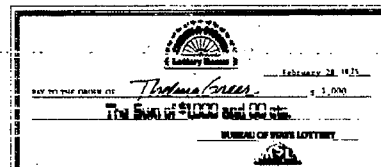


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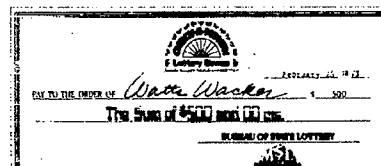
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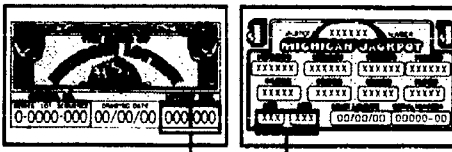
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1974 Gremlin.
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1 1/2 story 3 bedrooms, full basement. Very nice location, hardwood floors, 2 baths, washer & dryer, carpet, self-cleaning oven. Many other nice features. \$27,500. #119-R

1971 Globemaster mobile w/32 x 40 steel building. Could be used for almost any type business. 550 gal. gas storage, 3-275 fuel storage tanks. Just built in 1973. \$25,000. #139

3 bedrooms, 150x120 lot, full basement, natural gas. Full price \$18,500. Bal. on L/C at 7%. A lot of house for the money. Owner says, this house must be sold. Garage also. #154-R

Snowmobilers Special — 10 acres. Right in the middle of snowmobile country. Trails everywhere. This parcel is perfect for the snowmobile enthusiast. \$5,900 full price with L/C terms. #137

Lake Margrethe Access — One of the best real estate buys near the Lake. 4 beds, natural gas, partial basement, double garage, paved road, plenty of extra room. \$19,800. #148

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The following facts are pertinent to the above property:
LOCATION: On Manistee River Road, approximately 2 miles north of M-72 West.
LOT SIZE: 200 x 736 extends from County Road (Manistee River Rd.) to river. Circular drive to house through pines and oak. There is also an undivided interest in an 80 acre parcel on east side of road owned by association.
GARAGE: Constructed of pine, the building is 24 x 22. There is room for two cars, or one car and storage. Included, facing the river, is a guest room 8 x 22 that is carpeted, electric heat, and Franklin Stove.
HOME: Is constructed of pine on outside. Interior is pine and paneling, floors are wood, tile, or carpeted. First floor consists of bedroom, bath, kitchen and living room, sizes on attached listing. The living room, 26 x 18, has cathedral ceiling with log beams. A stairway from living room leads to open sleeping loft comprised of 5 x 6 half bath and two 10 x 12 sleeping areas. Furnished except for downstairs bedroom.
RIVERFRONT: From the 12 foot wood deck on 3 sides of the home, a four (4) foot wood walk stretches toward the river and over the trout pond (see pictures on listing), thence a few feet to river front of 232 feet.
PRICE: This property was priced at \$48,600.00 including an undivided interest in an 80 acre parcel owned by the homeowners association. It was listed because owner did not use enough to warrant investment. The owner now requires capital for other interests and has reduced the price (for 60 days only) to \$39,500.00; preferably cash but will consider terms with substantial down payment.

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CALL 348-2141. -30-

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FOR RENT — Efficiency apartment, 8 miles East on M-72 by week or month. 348-8405. 1/16tf

DATE STAMPS FOR SALE — Avalanche Office. 1/1

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FOR RENT—Available Feb. 9, 2 bedroom home, river front, 6 acre wooded lot. New appliances, furniture and carpet. Utilities, including heat furnished (gas furnace and Franklin fireplace). Security deposit, reference required. To see, call 348-9637 or 647-7050 for appointment. 1/23/11

PAPER TABLE CLOTH, \$8.25. Avalanche Office. 11

WE ARE NOW TAKING snow-plow contracts. Phone 348-8529. 12/27

MEETING of Road Hog Radio Program Fan Club. Every Sunday at Wag-On-Inn. Y'all come. R. G. Barnard (Pres.). 23-30

HOME FOR SALE—By owner. Completely remodeled, six months ago. Located on the East Branch of the AuSable River, 3 acres with approximately 200 feet of river frontage. Chalet style, 2 bedrooms, fireplace and 2 bathrooms. Please call 348-8209 before 5 p.m. and 348-8863 after 5 p.m. 23-30

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STROUT REALTY P.O. Box 4528 Springfield, Mo. 65804 16-30

FOR SALE—4 New belted Good Year tires. G 78x14. Phone after 6 p.m., 348-8031. 30-6-13-20

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FOR SALE—8 ft. Myers Snow-plow, also 1968 Dodge ¾ ton pickup - Can be seen at Rochette Shell or call 348-8150. -30-

WANTED TO RENT—Small storage area, need access between 8 and 5. Phone 348-5128. -30-

WANTED—Good condition, Bassinet and Playpen. Call 348-8058. 30-6

FOUND—White female Husky type puppy, 4 to 6 months old. In vicinity of Dr. Burkley's Office. Loveable, available to owner or good home. Call 348-2921 or 348-3471. -30-

VENDING CONCESSION

A solicitation for any or all of the following types of vending services (canned cold drinks, candy/snacks, and amusements) at Camp Grayling during summer months only will be issued in the near future. Firms interested should call The Great Lakes Area Exchange Service Office at Area Code 906 - 348-9211 before 7 February 1975 for further information. -30-

LOSE WEIGHT SAFE, fast, easy with the Diadex plan - Reduce fluids with Fluidex. Mac's Drugs. 15/15

LARGE QUILTS FOR SALE, Pot Holders, Clothes pin bags and Youth quilts or Baby quilts, 306 Mikado St., Grayling. Phone 348-8776. -30-

APPLICATIONS are being accepted from Crawford County applicants for the following positions under Title VI C.E.T.A. guidelines: Security, general utility, secretary and librarian. Interested parties may apply at Kirtland Community College Business Office, phone 275-5121. -30-

Jeremy Jones Elected R.C.&D. Vice Chairman

By William Bosseman, County Extension Director
Jeremy Jones, a Crawford County resident and owner, was elected vice chairman of the Huron Pines Resource Conservation and Development Council, Saturday, January 18th. The annual meeting of the R.C.&D. Council was held at the Chalet in Gaylord.

Mrs. Leona Stillwell was elected chairman, replacing Otis Marquardt of Onaway. John Stegall, Montmorency County, became secretary of the organization.

Ronald Church, R.C.&D. coordinator illustrated some of the activities of the group with colored slides. Rock rip-rap on seagull point in Rogers City to protect the water intake was one of the projects. Jeremy Jones' wildlife project was another.

Awards were presented to Charles McKee, City manager of Rogers City for the rip-rap project and to Jeremy Jones on the wildlife project.

Fred Becker, Alcona County Road Superintendent received recognition for the work Alcona County did in stabilizing road ditches. Merritt Clark from Canada Creek Ranch, Montmorency County received an award for his fine work as chairman of the forestry committee of the R.C.&D. council.

John Minor, H.C.&D. chief from Washington spoke to the group, telling about projects that were taking place over the county.

Bill Bullen, Fish Biologist, for the Department of Natural Resources showed slides of stream bank stabilization using logs and stone.

Jay E. Bailey, FBI Assistant Special Agent gave a very interesting luncheon talk.

Attending the meeting from this area were: Mrs. Louise Sullenger, Secretary Crawford-Roscommon Soil Conservation District; Jeremy Jones, Crawford County R.C.&D. Committee chairman; Glenn Lamberg, District Conservationist Soil Conservation Service, and myself.

Blds Wanted

The Crawford County Board of Commissioners are asking for bids on a one-half ton, 8 cylinder truck with standard transmission and heater, to be used by the county animal control officer.

Bids are to be submitted to Leo E. Lovely, County Clerk, by Friday, January 31st.

Advertise in The Avalanche

School Activities Calendar

(Clip and Save)
Week of January 31 to February 6, 1975

Friday, January 31st
The Varsity Basketball team will host the cagers from Petoskey at the Middle School Gym. The Varsity Club will hold a dance after the game.
The River Country Players will rehearse in the Auditorium.

Saturday, February 1st
There will be Open Shop in the high school wood shop from 9:00 a.m. until noon and the United States Post Office will use the auditorium all day to give Civil Service Exams.

Sunday, February 2nd
There will be Open Gym in the Middle School Gym from 1:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m.

Monday, February 3rd
The Junior High Basketball Team will travel to Kalkaska. The Frederic Baptist Church will host a recreation program in the Frederic Gym.

There will be Open Volleyball in the Middle School Gym and Open Gym at the Grayling Elementary School at 7:30 p.m.
The River Country Players will rehearse in the Auditorium.

Tuesday, February 4th
The Varsity Basketball Team will travel to Roscommon. The Travel and Adventure Series will present "Escape To Portugal," with Bill Kennedy in the Joseph Stripe Auditorium beginning at 8:00 p.m.

There will be Open Gym in the Frederic Gym at 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, February 5th
The Girl's Volleyball team goes on the road while the Junior High Basketball Team hosts Roscommon's Junior High Team.

The River Country Players rehearse in the auditorium.
There will be gymnastics in the Grayling Elementary School and Open Gym at Frederic.

Thursday, February 6th
The Freshman Basketball Team will take on the Freshmen from Boyne City while the Grayling Wrestlers go to Boyne City for a match.

The Winter Sports Pageant will have their Dress Rehearsal in the Auditorium and the cast for the production of Merideth Wilson's "Music Man" will have its first rehearsal at the high school.

There will be Open Gym at the Grayling Middle School and Open Square Dancing at the Grayling Elementary School.

Kirtland's Honor List

Recognition for outstanding scholarship has been extended to 55 Kirtland students named to the President's and Dean's lists for the fall semester.

Placement on the President's list is accorded full-time students who earn a 4.0 grade point average, which is the highest mark on the Kirtland Community College grading scale. Placement on the Dean's list is accorded full-time students who earn a 3.5 grade point average or better.

The students from Crawford County were: Dennis Holland, named to the President's List; John W. Bennett, Diane Latuszek, Yvonne MacKellar, Jack B. McInally, Bill Rehm, Jonathan F. Schultz, and Donald J. Wilson, all named to the Honor List.

Smart
A smart man is the guy who hasn't let a woman pin anything on him since he was a baby.

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Thursday, January 30, 1975

S.S. Report Required

"If you received Social Security checks in 1974 and earned more than \$2,400.00 you are required to complete an annual report with the Social Security Administration by April 15, 1975," said Dale Averill, District Manager of the Traverse City Social Security Office. This report may be required of all people who received Social Security benefits except those who were over 72 for all of 1974, or received disability on their own record.

Averill explained that the annual report provides one means by which the Social Security Administration determines if a beneficiary has been overpaid or underpaid for the last year. The deadline to file the annual report is April 15, 1975, the same as for filing Federal Income tax returns. Averill pointed out that the annual report is filed with the Social Security Administration and not with Internal Revenue Service. Those beneficiaries that the Social Security Administration knew were going to earn over \$2,400.00 will receive the reporting card in the mail.

Anyone who is required to report who doesn't get a card by the end of February 1975 can get one from the Social Security Office. The local office is at 1111 East Front St., Traverse City, Michigan. The phone number is 346-8360.

AMERICAN LEGION AUX. UNIT 106

Members: Are your 1975 dues paid? If they aren't paid by the 31st of this month, you are delinquent. Please send them in at once or pay them at our next meeting which is February 11, 1975. We only need sixteen more paid up members to be a quota unit again this year.

Henry Block has 17 reasons why you should come to us for income tax help.

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I, personally would like to thank you for helping make us the first savings and loan association in outstate Michigan to report assets in excess of one quarter billion dollars. Truly, this milestone in our history belongs to you. It represents a strong partnership of progress and we appreciate the trust and confidence you have placed in us.

For 1975, we renew our dedication to serving the financial needs of our community, while at the same time continuing constant efforts to expand our ability to meet those needs.

Douglas O. Hansen
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:
July 23, 1975

STATE OF MICHIGAN
County of Saginaw

We solemnly swear that this is a true statement, to the best of our knowledge and belief, of the financial condition of the First Savings and Loan Association of Saginaw, Michigan, on December 31, 1974.

Signed: **RICHARD E. SCHENCK** President
JAMES B. MUPPRECHT Secretary

Thank You Sincerely,

Richard E. Schenck
Richard E. Schenck

President and Chief Executive Officer

FIRST SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION FINANCIAL STATEMENT as of December 31, 1974

ASSETS

Cash and U.S. Government and Agency Securities	\$25,892,623.04
Federal Home Loan Bank Stock	1,776,300.00
First Mortgage Loans	207,283,752.11
Real Estate Contracts	1,633,603.38
Other Loans	3,340,583.72
Real Estate Owned	5,015,522.68
Office Buildings, Equipment & Furnishing (less depreciation)	4,131,630.97
Prepayment to FSLIC Secondary Reserve	1,174,005.15
Other Assets	239,056.47

TOTAL ASSETS \$250,487,077.52

LIABILITIES

Savings Accounts	\$225,538,230.15
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Federal Home Loan Bank Advances	3,000,000.00
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Bits O' Talk

by Fay Bovee

The Albert Kesteloot family returned January 14th from a month's vacation in the southwest, most of it with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Kesteloot in Kerrville, Texas. Leaving here on December 18th, they drove through to Broken Bow, Ok., where they visited Travis "Pete" and Joan Leonard, formerly of Frederic. Arriving in Texas, they were joined over the holidays by some of Al's relatives, Bill, Rose, and Bill Jr., Zwart of Grand Rapids, and Emery and Alberta Wiersma of Muskegon. While they were in Texas, they visited Sonora Caverns, LBJ's home and birthplace as well as the State Park, Lady Bird's Municipal Park at Fredericksburg, San Antonio, the Alamo, and Pearl and Lone Star Breweries. They also went across the border into Mexico for several shopping expeditions. On January 8th they visited Al's cousins, Richard and Betty Boehm and their son, David, in Denver, Col., and Mark had the pleasure of skiing at Loveland. While in Denver, they drove up Lookout Mtn., and visited Red Rocks Park. Enroute home they stayed overnight with Mrs. Kesteloot's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Yeske, in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hatfield of Jackson are the proud parents of a baby girl, Amy Elizabeth, born on January 23rd. She weighed 9 pounds. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hatfield of Grayling and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Miller of Jackson. Mrs. George Hatfield and Mrs. Viola Wilcox are great-grandmothers.

Mrs. Bonnie Richter of Otsego spent the weekend visiting her sister, Mrs. Tootie Wylie and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Hall.

Elise Andersen returned home Sunday, January 19th, after spending a month recuperating at the home of her daughter-in-law and family in Lansing. Her daughter-in-law, Mary Rasmussen, brought her home.

On Monday, January 27 the girls planned to make pizza. They meet at the Middle School Home Ec room after school. All girls and boys are welcome to come and join us.

Randy Brown visited his grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. Clippert, over the weekend. Randy, who is a freshman at Ferris State College, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Brown.

VA The Veterans Administration spends more than \$1.5 billion annually in compensation and pension payments to 53 million disabled veterans and eligible dependents.

Social Security Earnings Increase to \$14,100 Jan. 1

Beginning January 1, 1975, the maximum amount of earnings in a year that count for social security will automatically increase to \$14,100, up from 1974's maximum of \$13,200, Dale M. Averill, District Manager of the Traverse City Social Security office announced.

Also in 1975, the maximum amount that a beneficiary can earn and still get all his social security checks will increase to \$2,520 in a year under the same automatic increase provisions of the law, Mr. Averill said. The 1974 figure is \$2,400.

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Navy Seaman Jeffery M. Failing, son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Failing of Route 1, Grayling, graduated from recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Orlando, Fla.

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\$2,520 in 1975 may still get some social security benefits, but every dollar they earn above \$2,520 may cause a reduction of 50 cents in their social security benefits for the year. No matter how much they earn in 1975, they can get their full benefit for any month in which they do not earn more than \$210 in wages (up from \$200 in 1974) and do not perform substantial services in self-employment.

These will be the first automatic increases to take place under provisions of the Social Security Law enacted in 1972 and 1973, the manager said. He noted that these increases are determined on the basis of a formula in the law which automatically produces a result based on reported statistics.

"The formula is designed to keep both the contribution and benefit bases, and the retirement test exempt amount, up to date as average wage levels rise throughout the Nation," Averill explained. "Under the law these automatic increases can take effect only after a year in which there has been an automatic increase in social security benefits. An 11 percent increase in benefits that met this requirement took effect earlier in 1974."

"The contribution and benefit base is the maximum amount of earnings in a year that are creditable toward social security benefits and are taxable under social security. The new base of \$14,100 will provide additional income to the Social Security program without increasing the taxes of workers who earn \$13,200 or less in a year," Averill said.

He noted that the social security tax rate, now at 5.85 percent of taxable earnings for employees and employers each, and 7.9 percent of taxable earnings for self-employed people, will remain unchanged in 1974.

The increase in taxes payable on 1974 earnings for workers who earn more than \$13,200 will range up to a maximum of \$52.65 each for a wage earner and his employer, and \$71.10 for a self-employed person. The maximum social security tax a wage earner will pay in 1975 will be \$824.85, and a self-employed person, \$1,113.00.

"In return for the increase in taxes," Averill continued, "these affected workers will have greater protection because a larger amount of their earnings will be credited toward benefits than before. This will mean higher benefits for them and their families in the event of retirement, disability, or death, than would have been possible without an increase in the base."

OBITUARIES

Services Held For Mrs. Tina Tahvonen

Mrs. Tina Tahvonen, 74, of Grayling died Wednesday, January 22nd, at the home of her daughter in Traverse City. She was born in Boston, Massachusetts February 12, 1900.

Funeral services were held Friday at Sorenson Funeral Home with Rev. Paul Frederick officiating. Interment will be in Elmwood Cemetery in the spring.

Mrs. Tahvonen is survived by one son, Emil, of DeWitt; one daughter, Mrs. Jack (Irene) Fiebing of Traverse City; three brothers, Richard Thompson of Grayling and Ernest and Fred Thompson, both of Lewiston; two sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Keskinen of Johannesburg and Mrs. Elvira Hermanson of Lewiston; also, nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Her husband, Carl, passed away January 6, 1958.

Final Rites For Warren Horner, 90

Funeral services for Warren Horner, 90, of Frederic were held Saturday, January 25, at Sorenson Funeral Home with Rev. Robert Taylor officiating. Burial will be in Oakwood Cemetery, Frederic, in the spring. Mr. Horner died Thursday at Mercy Hospital.

He was born January 11, 1885 in Akron, Mich., and had been a resident of Frederic for 44 years. He was a bricklayer.

Survivors include three sons, Harry and Carl, both of Walled Lake, and Vance of Frederic; one daughter, Mrs. June Dunkley of Walled Lake; one brother, Ray Horner of Grayling; one sister, Blanche Burger of Mt. Morris; 10 grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren. His wife preceded him in death.

Hold Services For Bruno Olender, 70

Bruno J. Olender, 70, of Hart Lake passed away at Mercy Hospital Sunday, January 19. He was born in Buffalo, New York August 13, 1904 and was formerly Chief Truck Body Engineer at General Motors Tech. Center in Warren.

Funeral services were held at Sorenson Funeral Home on Wednesday with Rev. Peter Porta officiating. Burial will be in the Otsego Lake Cemetery in the spring.

He is survived by one son, James of Chelsea; one daughter, P.F.C. Joyce Olender of Camp Pendleton, Calif., and one brother, Joseph Olender of Indianapolis, Ind.

ALMANACK

Richard Milliman



Congress acts;

girls now equal on playing field

Problems of the economy may have Congress buffaloed. Arms limitations may be beyond congressional determination. Energy crises may continue to plague the country.

But don't despair. Things will turn out all right. Congress has now made it official. To wit:

Girls can now play in the Little League on the same basis as boys.

In case you missed the momentous news, President Ford chose Christmas Day—indeed an appropriate time—to sign into law a bill that amends the federal charter of Little League Baseball, Inc., which up to then had specified that the league was an organization for boys only.

Last year 22 class action suits had been brought here and there around the country seeking to break down the boys-only provisions, and a New Jersey court had ruled in favor of the girls.

Encountering this virtual plethora of litigation (Ed. Note: I thought a little Howard Cosell style would fit in here), the Little League organization petitioned Congress to amend its charter.

And Congress acted, with relative dispatch, it seems to me.

Of course, legislating equality on the baseball diamond is a simple matter compared with the shortage of oil, or the slaughter of cattle, or the double whammy of simultaneous inflation and recession.

The new language deletes the word "boy" each time it appears in the Little League charter and substitutes "young people."

In addition, the word "manhood" is dropped from a section of the charter stating that Little League is intended to promote "citizenship, sportsmanship and manhood."

So, all well and good. Congressionally-chartered Little League certainly should embrace girls as well as boys.

And another national crisis has been solved.

Who won at MSU?

Sticking with sports for a bit—National sports columnist Dick Young of the New York Daily news had some rather sharp comments

recently about the hiatus at Michigan State University when 10 basketball players walked out of a team meeting just before a big game, leaving only one healthy varsity player and the coaches.

Coach Gus Ganakas suspended the 10 walkers, and brought up a flock of junior varsity players for the big game. The makeshift MSU team lost big. Later, after some consultation, the 10 varsity walkers were reinstated and everything was back to normal—at least on the surface.

The 10 walkers, it should be noted, were black; the one who stayed, and the head coach, both were white.

Claiming that a big university such as MSU, is basically a "shameless factory," stocked by "the shabby recruiting system." Young sees big college sports primarily as a showcase to display athletic wares for the big money to come later from professionalization.

The MSU walkouts felt "betrayed" by the system, Young felt. He continued:

"I ask the black players: Just reverse the situation. Ten white players walk out because the coach wants to stage the one black man on the squad. You tell the one black man it's a matter of principle, nothing personal, and you ask him to walk out with you. Would the one black man do it?"

You gotta be kidding. "The whole situation is laughable—if it were not so condemning." And then Columnist Young concludes:

"The players are back now, playing their one-on-one basketball, trying to catch the eye of a pro scout, playing not for the team but for themselves."

"Why should it be otherwise? How can you be expected to feel loyalty to a factory?"

Writer Young makes some good points.

It seems to me this is one of the few incidents in sports when everybody loses; in the MSU player walkout, nobody came out ahead.

But was it an incident in sports... or sociology?

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Jim Fitzgerald

A new type of justice

It is to be hoped that Lady Justice's blindfold does not slip. She might see the yellow ribbon tied around Jeb Magruder's old oak tree — and throw up all over her out-of-balance trays.

Most people think Judge Sirica did a nice thing when he unexpectedly let Magruder, John Dean and Herbert Kalmbach out of the pokey before their sentences were served. The freeing came so suddenly, Magruder's warden didn't even have time to find a substitute to fill out their golf foursome that Sunday morning.

Judge Sirica didn't tell why he opened the prison doors. But everyone assumes he was rewarding the 3 men for rattling on their Watergate henchmen. Also, there is the general feeling that the three have suffered enough. After all, they lost important jobs and are now subject to public ridicule every time they give Town Hall lectures at \$2,000 per speech.

Besides, Richard Nixon was given a blanket pardon for all sins of word, deed or omission he might have committed while President. It is not generally known, but there was also a retroactive clause in Nixon's pardon. This allows him to commit one legal murder should he ever find himself on the edge of a cliff, standing behind that guy Butterfield who told the world the White House was bugged.

That is, Nixon can serve no prison term for such a murder. However, there would be a stiff fine with the stipulation that Bebe Rebozo and Robert Abplanalp must hand wrestle in Madison Square Garden for the privilege of picking up the tab. And there's a built-in bonus for the workman who spells Abplanalp's name correctly on the Garden marquee.

So, That's the ultimate justification. If Nixon is pelted with powder-puffs, it's not fair to throw rocks at

his hirelings. It is a unique system of justice which, if applied to all crime, would empty 90% of this nation's cells.

Everyone knows the Godfather doesn't go to prison. He dies in his garden of too many grandchildren and later comes back to sequel life, a bigger crook than ever. The crime chiefs are above the law, in Las Vegas penthouses. Their hired men sell the dope and lay the bets and pimp the prostitutes. And when the law declares an occasional crack-down, it is the hired men who get long prison terms. The Godfathers get indigestion and check into the Mayo Clinic.

Under the Nixon-Ford-Sirica system, this is obviously un-... If the big crook goes free, the little crooks' punishment should be nothing more harsh than 6 months in a Newark Holiday Inn. And if the little crooks agree to squeal, they should be allowed unlimited visiting privileges into New York City to appear on Meet the Press and to sign contracts to write books revealing how a Mafia hit man found Christ in a subway john.

This new justice would do more than give burglars the same privileges as lawyers (excuse any redundancy). It would also make prison space available for the extended jailing of the miscreants who are the real threat to the very foundations of this government.

I mean the welfare cheats, the overtime parkers and the people who walk on grass.

Also the independent muggers who rob only to feed their own selfish habits — such as eating — and give no share of the proceeds to Organized Crime. This is almost as bad as not contributing to a political party.

Onward and Upward.

Basketball

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goals to the Vikes 20, and made good 7 of 11 free throws to Grayling's 19 of 32 charity tosses.

Rogers City's JVs made the evening complete for the host school when they handed their local counterparts a 58-36 defeat in the preliminary contest.

Taking a 16-7 lead in the first period, and a 24-16 advantage at halftime, they moved out to a 45-23 cushion going into the final quarter.

Mike Money finished with 10 points for the only Vike to hit double figures. He was followed by Brian Ruddy with 8, Dave White 6, Bill Dean 4, Steve Olson and Doug Sadjak with 3 each, and Tom Kaiser 2.

M-HSC STANDINGS

League Overall	W	L	W	L
Petoskey	9	1	12	1
Boysie City	8	2	9	4
St. Ignace	5	3	7	6
Cheboygan	5	5	5	8
Gaylord	4	6	6	7
Charlevoix	4	6	5	9
Rogers City	3	7	5	7
Grayling	2	8	3	9

Friday's games: Boysie City at Charlevoix; Petoskey at Grayling; Rogers City at Gaylord; St. Ignace at Cheboygan.

Saturday's game: Traverse City St. Francis at St. Ignace.

District Court

The following persons appeared before Judge Francis L. Walsh last week in District Court:

Larry A. Crouch, 33, of Grayling entered a plea of not guilty to charges of D.U.I.L. and eluding an officer and in a trial by jury was found guilty of both charges and sentenced to 20 days in jail. He was arrested by the Sheriff's Dept. September 8th.

Donald E. Ross, 39, of Inkster entered a plea of not guilty to a charge of D.U.I.L. and in a trial by jury was found guilty of said offense and sentenced to a fine of \$204 or 30 days in jail. He was arrested by the State Police June 6th.

Elijah J. Beasley, 37, of Flint entered a plea of not guilty to a charge of D.U.I.L. and in a trial by jury was found not guilty of said offense. He was arrested by the City Police February 14th, 1974.

Joe R. Thompson, 23, of Grayling entered a plea of guilty to a charge of impaired driving, second offense, and was sentenced to a fine of \$304 or 30 days in jail. He was arrested by the Sheriff's Dept. January 7th.

Stephan R. Shaw, 18, of Grayling entered a plea of guilty to a charge of unlawful use of marijuana and was sentenced to a fine of \$204 or 30 days in jail. He was arrested by the Sheriff's Dept. October 18th.

Perry R. Williamson, 44, of Traverse City entered a plea of guilty to a charge of impaired driving and was sentenced to a fine of \$154 or 14 days in jail. He was arrested by the Sheriff's Dept. June 12th.

Daryl C. Ayers, 19, of Frederic entered a plea of guilty to a charge of disorderly person and was sentenced to a fine of \$154 or 14 days in jail. He was arrested on a citizen's complaint October 24th.

Larry M. Evans, 39, of Grayling entered a plea of Nolo Contendere to a charge of simple larceny and was sentenced to 10 days in jail. He was arrested on a citizen's complaint August 14th.

Edward L. Crumby, 20, of Grayling entered a plea of guilty to a charge of permitting an unlicensed driver to operate a vehicle and was sentenced to a fine of \$84 and 3 days in jail. He was arrested by the Sheriff's Dept. October 20th.

Steven A. Kozicki, 24, of Grayling entered a plea of guilty to a charge of simple larceny and was sentenced to a fine of \$84 or 10 days in jail. He was arrested on a citizen's complaint December 2nd.

Adam L. Horning, 32, of Grayling entered a plea of guilty to a charge of disorderly person and was sentenced to a fine of \$64 or 7 days in jail. He was arrested by the City Police December 6th.

Patrick E. Johnson, 27, of Grayling entered a plea of Nolo Contendere to a charge of disorderly person and was sentenced to a fine of \$64 or 7 days in jail. He was arrested by the City Police January 16th.

James W. Moore, 43, of Grayling entered a plea of guilty to a charge of disorderly person and was sentenced to 6 months probation. He was arrested by the City Police August 25th.

Jack A. Waters, 42, of Frederic entered a plea of guilty to a charge of disorderly person and was sentenced to a fine of \$64 or 7 days in jail. He was arrested by the City Police January 16th.

Francis R. Woodcum, 45, of Pontiac entered a plea of guilty to a charge of disorderly person and was sentenced to a fine of \$64 or 7 days in jail. He was arrested by the City Police August 6th.

Thomas E. Drouillard, 37, of Grayling entered a plea of guilty to a charge of discharging a firearm within the City limits and was sentenced to a fine of \$44 or 5 days in jail. He was arrested by the Sheriff's Dept. October 21st.

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Bits O' Talk

by Fay Bovee

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. McClain of Redford spent last week visiting her sister and family, the Harry Weidemanns. They also visited F. J.'s family while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Longworth have been making frequent trips to Saginaw to visit his mother, Mrs. H. W. Longworth who has been hospitalized and was to have surgery this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Gates received a letter last week from their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gates, from Alaska saying that he had shot a moose while hunting only 30 miles from their home. The only way that they could get the moose home was to cut it up and transport it by snowmobile sled. The Jim Gates lived here with their parents for four years, two of which they spent as students at Kirtland Community College and helping at the Canoe Inn. They are teaching at Shishmarek, Alaska, on an island only 40 miles from the Arctic Circle. This is their first year but they have already signed up for another year. He teaches 4th grade and she teaches 2nd and 3rd and average 15 to 20 students each. The school has 5 teachers for students up to the 8th grade. Any children attending high school have to go to Nome to live. The island is inhabited by 350 Eskimos. The only transportation now is by snowmobile and in the summer by boat. The average temperature at this time of year is -30 degrees. They have no running water and have to melt ice for water. The island also has no trees. At Christmas time the Eskimos have a 5-day celebration. There is a community hall in which all 350 Eskimos enjoy their Christmas dinner together. All food for the island has to be ordered three months in advance and is flown in. The Calvin Gates also had a phone call recently from another son, Tom, who is stationed in Frankfurt, Germany. Tom is also a former KCC student and has been in service for two years. He is looking forward to his discharge in the spring.

The Monday 4-H cooking group met with their leaders, Mrs. Pat Lugvick and Mrs. Marie Mahaney on January 20 and the girls made Oatmeal Raisin Muffins. The girls in the club are Jennifer Riker, Kim Grandmason, Dawn LaMotte, Kathleen Mahaney, Vicki Mahaney, Kay Golinick, Denise Evon, and Lynn Lugvick.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clayton of Okemos visited her mother, Mrs. Don Gottho for a couple of days last week.

Kirtland

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have not been resolved." A college source said that in a letter signed by Stenger, Miss Savino was cited for "insolence, disrespect, neglect of duty and refusing to meet with her employer." The source continued by saying Miss Savino claims "these charges are false," and that she is consulting with her attorney about taking legal action against the board of trustees and the college administration.

Recommendations for a replacement to fill the position of unseated board of trustee member Robert Tupper were opened "to the public and the administration" during the KCC board meeting Thursday, Jan. 16th.

Robert Bovee, chairman of the board, asked that interested persons contact a trustee if they wish to be considered for the position.

The next board meeting will be held in the KCC Board Room, Thursday, February 13 at 8:00 p.m. If there is a sufficient number of nominees for the vacant board seat, action will be taken to fill the seat at the meeting.

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On December 22, 1974, Robert Smock, Jr. of Grayling and Mary Sandowski, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Sandowski of Fraser, were married at St. Rene's Church in Sterling Heights. Officiating at the ceremony was Rev. Steve Wattstein, a family friend.

The bride's sister, Mrs. Carol Palombit of Troy, was the matron of honor. The best man was Robert Moldenhauer of Mt. Pleasant.

Music for the ceremony was provided by the bride's sisters, Jane and Nancy, Pam Rath, a friend of the bride, accompanied them on the guitar.

Following the ceremony, a dinner for the family and close

friends was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Palombit in Troy. Guests from Grayling included the groom's family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smock, Randy, Gail and Joseph and his grandmother Mrs. Jessie Smock who was celebrating her birthday that day.

After a honeymoon to Florida, Bob and Mary entertained family and friends at a reception on January 11 at the Holiday House in Mt. Clemens. Guests from Grayling attending included Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Smock, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Dawson, James Knibbs, Valerie Benfield, Larry Nielson, Johnny Alef and Bobby Owens.

Sheriff's Drug Lab Report For 1974

PART 2: In 1974 this Lab has made analysis for 40 other departments. This covers: City and Township Police and Sheriff's Departments from 16 counties, the DNR, National Guard from 3 states and many other agencies in both the upper and lower peninsulas. The farthest, being Ironwood Police Department.

LAB CASES AND ANALYSIS STATISTICS			
Cases	Anls.	Cases	Anls.
Crawford Sheriff Dept.	1973 1974	1973 1974	1973 1974
Grayling City Police Dept.	191 673	147 158	
34 Other Depts.	48 144	45 48	
40 Other Depts.	144 355		
Miscellaneous Cases	62 69	47 47	
TOTAL	445 1241	493 609	

In 1973 the most abused substances were:

Marijuana	286	64.3%
Phencyclidine	20	4.5%
LSD (Lysergic Acid diethylamide)	19	4.3%
Amphetamines	6	1.3%
Other	114	25.6%

In 1974 the most abused substances were:

Marijuana was still tops	292	59.2%
Phencyclidine	41	8.3%
LSD (Lysergic Acid diethylamide)	29	5.9%
Barbiturates	26	5.3%
Amphetamines & Caffeine (19 each)	38	7.8%
Cocaine	9	1.8%
Other	58	11.7%

The Lab has identified: 34 different substances and drugs in 1973
75 different substances and drugs in 1974

As can be seen the manufactured drug market moved considerably upward in 1974 compared to Marijuana.

CRAWFORD COUNTY SHERIFF DEPARTMENT V.C.S.A. ARRESTS			
YEAR	Complaints	Arrests	
1969	2	2	
1970	20	14	
1971	110	58	
1972	125	60	
1973	227	122	
1974	178	130	
TOTAL	662	386	

V.C.S.A. (Violation of Controlled Substance Act - Drugs) complaints are down although arrests are up. 95% of the Controlled Substance law enforcement is done primarily by the local law enforcement agencies in the County. About 85% of all the drug arrests are made with other crime related arrests such as traffic, larceny etc.

COST FACTOR TO SEND EVIDENCE TO LANSING ON ONE CASE, IF WE DIDN'T HAVE THE LAB.

One Officer - Wage & Substance	\$45.00
Transportation	40.00
TOTAL COST OF ONE TRIP	\$85.00

Crawford County Sheriff's Department had 130 arrest cases in 1974. At a cost of \$85.00 per case, there would be a cost of \$11,050.00. Grayling City Police Department had 35 arrest cases in 1974.

At a cost of \$85.00 per case, there would be a cost of \$2,975.00. TOTAL COST WOULD HAVE BEEN \$14,025.00.

In the past year we have worked with several State and Federal agencies that deal specifically in drug traffic, thus being recognized by the State of Michigan as well as the U.S. Government.

LAB PERSONNEL: Carl E. Lugvick, Chemist; Ella Belle Goodwin, Secretary.

The following receive no pay: Lt. Robert Ruddy, Lab Administrator; Deanna Bartelli, Assistant to Mr. Lugvick; Chief Peter Stephan, (Board Member); Commissioner Dean Welch, (Board Member).

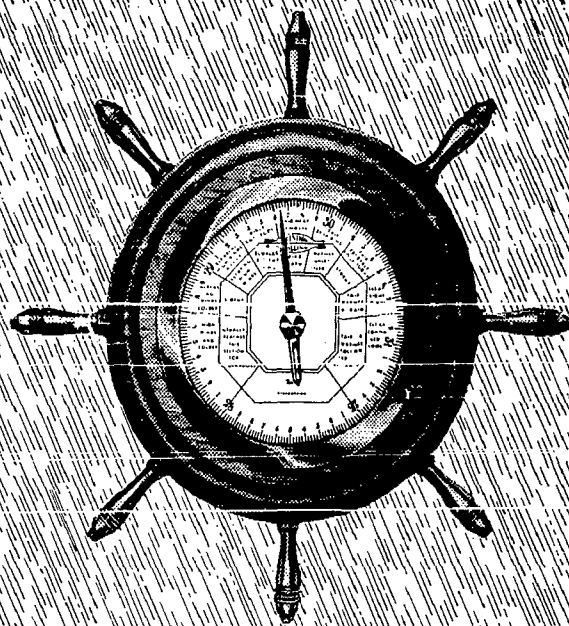
At this time all equipment in the Lab is in good and operable condition. There seems to be a space problem, but we hope to overcome this in the near future.

Respectfully submitted,
Harold A. Hatfield,
Lab Director and
Sheriff Crawford County



EVERY SCIENTIST knows that much of research is a question of rice and men. Dr. Anthony Cerami, taking time out for reflection on this subject, is a March of Dimes-supported researcher into sickle cell disease. At The Rockefeller University, he pioneered a new drug which is now undergoing large-scale clinical trials to determine its safety and effectiveness for treatment of the disease.

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3. Russ' Dry Wall	12	3. Spikes	3
4. M. G. M.	11	4. Rochettes	3
5. Glen's Blue	9	5. Bear Archery	1
6. Ockey's Rock	9	6. Legion Lanes	1
7. Wee 3	7	7. Millikin's	1
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High Game: J. Green, 215; R. Mudge, 213; D. Kohnert, 211.		High Game: Griffith, 609; LaMotte, 602; Rowland, 535.	
High Series: D. Kohnert, 564; R. Mudge, 554; D. Freeman, 550.		High Singles: LaMotte, 224; Weideman, 213; Kolka, 218.	
Northwood League		American League, 2nd Division	
1. Bear Archery	11	1. 4-Pack	8
2. Joy Lynn Ceramics	11	2. Kelly's Carpet Serv.	7
3. Laurine's	10	3. Scheer Motors	7
4. Don's Pipe Shop	8	4. Vaughn's Sunoco	5
5. Safari Lounge	8	5. Parker's Surv.	3
6. Jack Pine P&H	8	6. Sportsman's Club	1
7. Greene's Party Store	5	7. Union 76	1
8. Holiday Inn	3	8. L.P. Plastics	0
High Series: M. LaMotte, 511; B. Helsel, 492; E. Helsel, 479.		High Series: J. Ely, 537; A. Stephenson, 505; B. Waininger, 498.	
High Game: M. LaMotte, 190; J. Rasmussen, 186; E. Helsel, 184.		High Game: J. Ely, 233; A. Stephenson, 201; C. Adkison, 189.	
Niteowl Mixed Doubles		National League, 1st Division	
1. Harold's	12	1. Seyfert's Potato Chips	8
2. Legion Lanes	10	2. Shoppemagons	7
3. Arrowhead Inn	10	3. Tarpon Ind.	4
4. L.P. Plastics	9	4. Carlisle Paddle	4
5. Marshall Motel	7	5. Gambles	3
6. AuSable Motel	6	6. Grayling Mold	2
7. Wagon Wheel Cleaners	6	7. Bear Archery	2
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High Series: Women: B. Marlow, 472; G. Schofield, 434; B. Small, 415.		High Series: L. Davis, 599; D. Ray, 570; L. Baker, 542.	
High Game: Women: B. Marlow, 168; F. Sanders, 160; G. Schofield, 155.		High Game: L. Davis, 237; D. Ray, 215; J. Pratt, 202.	
High Series: Men: B. Nielson, 595; C. Clark, 536; R. Perez, 537.		National League, 2nd Division	
High Game: Men: B. Nielson, 232; R. Perez, 215; C. Clark, 204.		1. Cald's Grocery	9
Senior Citizens Bowling League		2. R & H Sports	8
1. Mac's Drugs	41	3. Legion Lanes	8
2. Gambles	39½	4. Fuelgas	6
3. Glen's Market	37	5. Grayling V.W.	5
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High Series: Men: T. Tosto, 479; B. Campbell, 477; E. Schramm, 471.		High Game: E. Balch, 213; J. Wrona, 210; B. Goodale, 203.	
High Singles: Men: G. Foltz, 182; L. McCormick, 181; J. Fellady, 179.		High Series: F. Schaibley, 530; L. Stafford, 518; P. Harwood, 514.	
High Series: Women: I. Hendee, 516; M. Foltz, 481; E. Sorenson, 428.		Recreation League	
High Singles: Women: M. Foltz, 192; I. Hendee, 191; E. Sorenson, 178.		1. Bay City Times	7
Advertise in The Avalanche		2. Mill Town Realty	6
		3. Olson's	6
		4. Ski White Snowmobiles	6
		5. Lovell's Bar	6
		6. Pine Aire Motel	5
		7. Grayling Bank	5
		8. Bill's Laundry	5
		9. Coe's Market	4
		10. Kozy Korners	4
		11. Recreational's	3
		12. Dingman's Tavern	2
		13. Glen's Market	2
		14. R & H Sports Center	1
		15. Legion Lanes	1
		16. Wag-On-Inn	1
		High Series: J. Trenary, 504; E. Helsel, 492; P. Kozicki, 490.	
		High Game: J. Trenary, 212; P. Long and M. Harwood, 186; E. Howlett, 180.	
		Arbutus Schofield bowled games of 97-99-99.	
		Sunday Afternoon Fun League	
		1. Pizza Castle	13½
		2. Bear Archery	11½
		3. Spikes Keg O' Nails	10
		4. Down River Store	10
		5. Carol's Mobil #1	9
		6. Wag-On-Inn	9
		7. Left Overs	9
		8. Carol's Mobil #2	5
		High Series: Men: R. Helsel, 603; C. Fye, 581; D. Eff, 558.	
		High Game: Men: C. Fye, 215; R. Helsel, 209; C. Fye, 205.	
		High Series: Women: M. Porter, 455; S. Muth, 426; J. Crampton, 397.	
		High Game: Women: M. Porter, 177; V. Henning, 155; S. Muth, 149.	
		Sunday Nite Mixed Doubles	
		1. Marlene's Beauty Shop	16
		2. D&R Used Furniture	16
		3. Ockey's Rock	12
		4. Jake's Refuse Serv.	10
		5. R & H Sports Shop	10
		6. Farm Bureau Ins.	9
		7. Beaver Bend Lodge	4
		8. Bill's Standard Serv.	3
		High Game: Women: B. Ingalls, 207; E. Helsel, 200; L. Tobin, 179.	
		High Series: Women: B. Ingalls, 512; E. Helsel, 474; L. Tobin, 466.	
		High Game: Men: K. Moore, 214 & 194; A. Anderson, 192; B. Reichelderfer, 181.	
		High Series: Men: K. Moore, 585; B. Reichelderfer, 521; A. Anderson, 510.	
		Men's City Assn. Bowling Tourney	
		Team High:	
		Kelly's Carpet	3009
		Doubles:	
		R. Case, D. Canfield	1370
		Singles:	
		Wayne Rose	666
		All Event:	
		Art Stephenson	1899
		High Actual Series 3 games:	
		Dan Canfield	660
		2nd 3 game Series Actual:	
		Ralph Helsel	634
		High Ind. Game Actual:	
		Dan Canfield	247
		Thanks to all the bowlers who participated.	
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Theater Group Auditions Set For Feb. 4-5

Beginning the Main Street Players second year will be auditions for their spring production "We Bombed in New Haven" by Joseph Heller. The auditions will take place February 4th and 5th in the Roscommon High School Auditorium at 7:00 p.m. Director June Karjalainen and assistant director Sue Homer will conduct the auditions.

The play calls for eleven men and six women. While the number of women is flexible, the cast must include at least eleven men. This is something new for the Main Street Players.

Previous productions have been chosen with the thought that male actors were relatively few in number around this area. The Players are confident that that's not so, and are hoping for a large turnout Tuesday and Wednesday nights.

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sionary Society. They have also traveled extensively in the United States. They hold an average of 300 concerts per year. They have also made five LP Albums.

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Otis C. Smith, Pastor



TO APPEAR AT ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH—The Rev. Douglas R. Clair, Assemblies of God missionary to Korea, will be guest speaker Sunday, February 2nd, 10:00, at the Assembly of God Church, 911 Elm, the Rev. Dan Brown, pastor, has announced. During their past term of missionary service, Mr. Clair and his wife Jean were active in evangelism, Bible school and pioneer church work. They were also youth advisers for Full Gospel Central Church in Seoul, Korea. This is the largest Pentecostal church in the world with 23,000 members.

EDITOR'S MAILBOX

January 24, 1975
Mr. H. D. Madsen, Publisher
The Crawford County Avalanche
Grayling, Michigan

Dear Whitley:
The Blood Bank yesterday at The American Legion Hall was outstandingly successful! The generous response of the Good Neighbors of Crawford County, and from Kalkaska and Roscommon also, was heart warming. One hundred and thirty of our good citizens came to give a pint of their precious blood, and we were able to draw one hundred and nine units. Which, as best as we are able to determine, makes it the biggest single day Blood Bank in our Chapter's history. And it came when it was most needed!

It was really thrilling to watch the folks come in. The youngest was 17. The eldest was a lovely lady of 62 from Roscommon who came to donate her 31st pint. And she is determined to reach at least 32 pints and be a Four Gallon Donor. Fathers gave and phoned their daughters to come after work and donate, and they did come. Almost a dozen husband and wife teams came and both gave blood. Some brought their young sons and daughters to watch, so they would become familiar with this wonderful charity of blood giving, so they would be ready when their opportunity to give comes in the future.

You cannot watch something as sincere, as simple, and yet so wonderful, as people freely giving their blood to unknown neighbors and not feel so very proud of being an American. Because Americans truly are the friendliest, the most generous, the most charitable people in all the world.

And no small measure of yesterday's successful Blood Bank is due to your staunch support in The Avalanche. The two front page stories in previous issues and yesterday's bold masthead "Thursday is the day!" were vital in spreading the word and encouraging response.

You deserve the appreciation of all the Good Neighbors who will eventually receive the blood given yesterday, and you know that all of us in Red Cross will be forever grateful to you.

Thanks so very much, Harriet and Harry Goodhue
For The Crawford County Chapter of American Red Cross

Promoted

Vidian L. Roe, III, vice president of National News Service, has been promoted to executive vice-president and general manager of The Commercial and Financial Chronicle, New York City. The Chronicle, published by National News Service, is the oldest financial publication in the United States, established in 1839.

Roe, before joining National News Service in 1973, served as advertising director and assistant publisher of Century Publications, Winchester, Mass., and advertising manager of the Belmont, Mass., Citizen.

He is the son of Vidian Roe, Gierke Rd., Grayling. Roe graduated from Central Michigan University in 1968.

January 27, 1975
Dear Editor,

If KCC procedures remain the same as in the past they will most likely do away with my job after this letter becomes public. But, things being as they are I feel it necessary to inform the taxpayers what is really going on at Kirtland. I am doing this in the hopes that once the people realize what is going on they will take action to change it. After all, KCC is there to serve the people, not to boost the egos of administration and/or board members.

It is high time that the main priority of the college be the student. There has been a questionable high turnover of personnel at KCC. Personnel directly related to the students and their needs. Personnel such as: Ed Harkins, Raymond Anderson, Robert Tupper, Dean of Students; Art Kaherl, Director of Admissions; Gene Lukshaitis, Counselor; Carol Savino, Student Activities Co-ordinator (suspended). In the short life of KCC these personnel have left. Why did they leave?

Having been on campus four years I have some observations to share with the public. In my opinion, the college is being run by a President who wields absolute power. It appears that the Deans are not allowed to make even the simplest decision without an O.K. from the President. The Deans are merely puppets on strings tied to the fingers of the President. And yet, they are consistently used as scapegoats when something goes wrong.

The seed of fear is present at Kirtland. There is the threat of job loss over the heads of all employees if they so dare to disagree with the President in public. There is the fear of repercussions if employees attend activities (fund raising parties, etc.) for Bob Tupper. Does this represent moral, responsible leadership?

Don't you think it is time that the board start questioning the actions and practices of the President? Instead of accepting the words of the President as the only truth.

Is this how you want your college run? I am personally weary of insinuations, threats, and foul mouthed language. If you, the public taxpayer really care about what happens to your college, now is the time to speak up. Most people don't realize that they pay as much or more taxes to KCC as they do for their township government. Attending board meetings, calling the board member in your area, visiting your campus, and getting answers to why there has been so much turmoil will help. There can be no room for apathy because it will be apathy that could very well send KCC out of existence.

Linda Fenton
Art Instructor, KCC

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank friends, neighbors, and relatives, Rev. Frederick, Sorenson Funeral Home and Ladies of the Moose during the death of our sister, Louise Smith.

Truman and Lyman LaVack and families

Frederic News

by Arlen Kesby
Senior Citizen Potluck, Thursday, February 13, 5:00 at the Frederic Sportsman Club. Bring a dish to pass and your own table service. A planned program will follow.

FREDERIC HOBBY CLUB
The Frederic Hobby Club held their officers dinner at the Frederic Inn on January 23, with 12 members present. Miss Anita Lozon read a poem and told of the accomplishments of the club in the past 21 years. The next meeting will be February 13 at the home of Mrs. Ellie Lozon. We will have election of officers and choose a girl to send to Girls State.

Lovelis News

by Ruth Caldwell
Mr. and Mrs. David Paquette of Ypsilanti spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Harwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith and daughter Lynn of Tecumseh spent a few days at their cabin on the North Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spear were hosts at the party Saturday evening. Prizes were won by Elsie Butters, Doris Roberts, John Duby and Jack Kearney. Mr. and Mrs. John Campau will have the party Saturday evening. Everyone welcome. Potluck.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Armstrong and son Gale spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Armstrong.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank the doctors, nurses and aides who took such good care of our father during the last ten days of his life. The kindness and compassion you gave him will always be remembered by the family of Warren Horner.

Arlington National Cemetery
Arlington National Cemetery became a national military cemetery in 1964. Over 160,000 soldiers and other distinguished Americans are presently buried there. The land was formerly part of the estate of Martha Washington's son.

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

Estate of Bertha Hanson, Deceased.

Trust under Item V of the Will.

TAKE NOTICE: On February 21, 1975, at 10:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom, in the City of Grayling, Michigan, before the Hon. Emil L. Kraus, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Second National Bank of Saginaw for allowance of their Seventh Account as Trustee of Trust under Item V of the Will.

Dated: January 22, 1975

Second Nat'l. Bank of Saginaw

Petitioner

101 North Washington Ave.

Saginaw, Mich. 48607

Attorney for Petitioner:

Edward J. McArdle (P-17255)

Braun, Kendrick, Finkbeiner,

Schafer & Murphy

812 Second Nat'l. Bank Bldg.

Saginaw, Mich. 48607

Phone: (517) 753-3461

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

Estate of William A. Bragg, Deceased.

TAKE NOTICE: On Friday, January 31, 1975, at 10:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom, at the City of Grayling, Michigan, before the Hon. Emil L. Kraus, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of John B. Huss, administrator of the estate of William A. Bragg, deceased, for the allowance of his first and final account, assignment of the residue of the estate, discharge of himself as administrator of the said estate and filing of an order closing the said estate.

Dated: January 10, 1975.

John B. Huss,

Petitioner

Crawford Co. Cr. Bldg.

Grayling, Mi. 49738

Attorney for Estate,

John B. Huss

Crawford Co. Cr. Bldg.

Grayling, Mi. 49738

Phone: 348-9821

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

Estate of J.C. Millikin (aka/ka Jack Millikin)

TAKE NOTICE: On January 31, 1975, at 10:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom, City of Grayling, Michigan, before the Hon. Emil L. Kraus, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Mabel Millikin for the probate of a purported will of J. C. Millikin, aka/ka Jack Millikin, Deceased, dated the 30th day of October, 1972, for granting of administration to the Bay City Bank and Trust Company of Bay City, Michigan, the executor named in said will.

Dated: January 8, 1975.

Mabel Millikin,

Petitioner

Grayling, Mi. 49738

Attorney for Petitioner:

Nelson A. Miles

P.O. Box 303

Grayling, Mi. 49738

Phone: 348-9022

W.O.T.M. News

A special meeting will be held on January 31st at 8:00 p.m. sharp. Girls, please be there.

There was a regular meeting on January 6th with no new enrollments. Following a short business meeting, it was adjourned with another meeting scheduled for January 20th.

There was a good turnout for the January 20th meeting. Senior Regent Tiny DeRousha thanked the girls who worked Sunday, January 19th, at the Legion of the Moose conclave. People were present on Sunday from Bay City, Saginaw, Clare, Skidway Lake, West Branch, Flint, Owosso. They came by two Greyhound buses, cars and mini bus. All had a good time. Swiss steak was served with all the trimmings and they went away saying that they would like to come back again.

Pay Mayo gave her achievement award which she and her co-workers received last year.

A Valentine Dance is being planned for February 15th. A king and queen are to be chosen. Girls, check your dues card.

Jean Ann Gardiner
Publicity Chairman

CARD OF THANKS

To all the staff at Mercy Hospital I wish to express my thanks and to all who sent flowers, gifts, cards and also for their visits. A special thanks to neighbors in Grayling Mobile Estates and all others who remembered me during my month's stay at Mercy Hospital. Beatrice Brown.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage made by William Cole and Jean E. Cole to Van's Building Center of Grayling formerly Grayling Lumber & Supply Inc. dated September 11, 1973, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, on September 11, 1973 in Liber 130 of Mortgages, on page Eighty-Six (86) Eighty-Seven (87) on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of Five Thousand Eight Hundred Eight and 45/100 (\$5808.45) Dollars, and no proceedings having been instituted to recover the debt now remaining secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said Mortgage has become operative;

Now Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described or so much thereof as may be necessary, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at Crawford County Courthouse in the City of Grayling, and County of Crawford, Michigan, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court in and for said County, on February 13, 1975, at 1:00 o'clock Central Standard Time in the afternoon of said day, and said premises will be sold to pay the amount so as aforesaid then due on said Mortgage together with 9 per cent interest, legal costs, Attorneys' fees and also any taxes and insurance that said Mortgagee does pay on or prior to the date of said sale; which said premises are described in said Mortgage as follows, to-wit: Township of Frederic, Crawford County, State of Michigan Lot #35, Manistee River Woods, a recorded plot in the Crawford County Register of Deeds.

The period of redemption will be six months (6) from date of sale.

Dated: December 20, 1974.

Van's Building Center

of Grayling,

By Mortgagee,

James Vanderlaan

Its President

David R. Sabin

Attorney for Mortgagee

Benson, Sabin & Bloomquist,

P.C.

Business Address:

306 State Street

Grayling, Mi. 49738

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NOTICE OF LAND EXCHANGE

Notice is hereby given that the State of Michigan Department of Natural Resources has made application under the Act of March 3, 1925 (16 U.S.C. 516), to exchange the following land within the Hiawatha National Forest: Lot 3 of Section 11, Township 40 North, Range 4 West; NWNE of Section 2, SWSE of Section 7, NWSW of Section 23, SWNE and NENW of Section 31, Township 41 North, Range 4 West; NWNW of Section 30, Township 42 North, Range 3 West; N $\frac{1}{2}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW, and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 19, W $\frac{1}{2}$ of Section 20, All of Section 28 except S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ of Section 30, Township 42 North, Range 4 West; SESW and SWSE of Section 8, SWSWSE of Section 16, Township 42 North, Range 5 West; NESE of Section 4, Township 43 North, Range 2 West; Lots 1 and 2 of Section 9, Township 43 North, Range 4 West; W $\frac{1}{2}$ NE, E $\frac{1}{2}$ NW, NWSW, N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE of Section 10, NWSW of Section 26, Township 43 North, Range 5 West, Mackinac County, Michigan; W $\frac{1}{2}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$, W $\frac{1}{2}$ NE, SENE of Section 9, SE $\frac{1}{4}$, W $\frac{1}{2}$ SW, SESW, and SENE of Section 10, NENE of Section 15, E $\frac{1}{2}$ NE, N $\frac{1}{2}$ NW, SW $\frac{1}{4}$, NESE, and SWSE of Section 16, SESE of Section 7, S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 8, S $\frac{1}{2}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE, NENE, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NW, and NWNW of Section 17, N $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$, and S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW of Section 18, Township 46 North, Range 6 West, Chippewa County, Michigan; containing 5195.15 acres, for National Forest land described as: NESE and W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE of Section 11, NENE, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE, SESW, and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 15, S $\frac{1}{2}$ of Section 22, All of Section 25 except the SESESE and except 6.27 acres for a railroad right-of-way, All of Section 26 except 12.61 acres for a railroad right-of-way, All of Section 27 except 14.84 acres for a railroad right-of-way, and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 28 except 6.08 acres for a railroad right-of-way, SESEW of Section 28, Township 41 North, Range 17 West; NWNW and NENW of Section 25, E $\frac{1}{2}$ NE, SWNW, SW $\frac{1}{4}$, and NESE of Section 26, SENE and NESE of Section 27, NE $\frac{1}{2}$ and N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE of Section 34, All of Section 35 except NENE, SWNE, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NW, SW $\frac{1}{4}$, and W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE of Section 36, Township 42 North, Range 17 West, Schoolcraft County, Michigan, NE $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ and E $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 28, and S $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 33, Township 25 North, Range 2 West, Crawford County, Michigan; containing 4650.20 acres.

Persons claiming said properties or having valid objections to this proposed exchange must file their claims or objections with the Regional Forester, U. S. Forest Service, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, within 30 days after date of the first publication of this notice.

The publication dates are: January 29, 1975, February 5, 1975, February 12, 1975, and February 19, 1975.

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24 HOUR GAS SERVICE

County Board of Commissioners

Special meeting of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners held in the Court House in the City of Grayling on the 3rd day of January 1975.

Meeting called to order by Leo E. Lowry, County Clerk. Roll Call. Kenneth Carlisle, Rolla Failing, Patrick Harwood, Joseph LaGrow, Edward Lowrie, Dean Welch—Present. Fred Kauffman—Absent.

Board members were sworn in by Leo E. Lowry, County Clerk. Copies of condensed guide lines, rules and by-laws for Boards of Commissioners were distributed by the Clerk, who offered several suggestions for conducting meetings and procedures in voting. Throughout the day the Board held discussions regarding matters of efficiency at the least expense to the county.

This being an organizational meeting, the Clerk called for a motion for a temporary chairman.

MOTION by Lowrie, second by Failing, to nominate Dean Welch for temporary chairman. Roll Call. All Aye. Motion Carried.

MOTION by Lowrie, second by LaGrow, that nominations be closed. Roll Call. All Aye. Motion Carried.

Whereupon, Mr. Dean Welch was appointed Temporary Chairman. He entertained a motion for a permanent chairman.

MOTION by Failing, second by LaGrow, that Fred Kauffman be nominated for permanent chairman. Roll Call. All Aye. Motion Carried.

MOTION by Harwood, second by Carlisle, to nominate Patrick Harwood for permanent chairman. Roll Call. All Aye. Motion Carried.

Ballot was cast. Mr. Kauffman received 4 votes and Mr. Harwood received 2 votes.

MOTION by Lowrie, second by Harwood, to cast a unanimous vote for Fred Kauffman for permanent chairman. All Aye. Motion Carried.

Mr. Failing nominated himself for Chairman ProTem. Mr. Lowrie nominated Patrick Harwood for Chairman ProTem. Ballot was cast. Rolla Failing received 1 vote and Patrick Harwood received 5 votes.

MOTION by Lowrie, second by Failing, to cast a unanimous vote for Patrick Harwood for Chairman ProTem. Roll Call. All Aye. Motion Carried.

The Board asked the Clerk to send out the Agenda for each meeting to each member, also asked the Clerk to prepare copies of the resolution regarding line item budgets, which was offered by Commissioner Westervelt in October 1974.

The Clerk was instructed to ask John Huss to look over the Airport Agreement with County, Township and City, in regard to its contents, in the interest of the county.

The Board recessed for noon, and was called to order again at 1:00 p.m.

MOTION by Lowrie, second by Failing, that all commissioners are authorized to attend the seminar at Gaylord, put on by Michigan Association of Counties. Roll Call. All Aye. Motion Carried.

MOTION by Failing, second by Lowrie, that the next meeting of the Commissioners be set for the second Monday in January at 9:00 a.m. Roll Call. All Aye. Motion Carried.

MOTION by Welch, second by Failing, to adjourn. Roll Call. All Aye. Motion Carried.

Regular meeting of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners held in the Court House in the City of Grayling on January 13, 1975.

Meeting called to order by Chairman ProTem Harwood. Roll Call. Kenneth Carlisle, Rolla Failing, Patrick Harwood, Joseph LaGrow, Edward Lowrie, Dean Welch—Present. Fred Kauffman—Absent.

The members of the Board met with Chairman Kauffman at the conference room at the Extended Care Facility, at which time Commissioner Kauffman thanked the Board for electing him Chairman. Further, committee appointments were made, as follows:

FINANCE — Dean Welch, Ed Lowrie, Rolla Failing.

LAW ENFORCEMENT — Welch, Lowrie, Ken Carlisle.

HEALTH & WELFARE — Fred Kauffman, Failing, Joe LaGrow—Alternate.

MENTAL HEALTH — Lowrie.

BUILDINGS — Failing, Pat Harwood, Lowrie.

PERSONNEL — Failing, Welch, Harwood.

DEPT. PUBLIC WORKS — Failing, Carlisle, LaGrow, Welch, John Keir.

ALLOCATION — Lowrie.

CHAPLAIN — Kauffman.

PLANNING COMM. — Lowrie, Pat Harwood—Alternate.

PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT — Welch, Carlisle, Harwood.

REGIONAL COMM. — Welch, Earl Longworth (to finish term), Failing.

UNION BARGAINING — Welch, Lowrie, LaGrow, Harwood.

2nd DIST. M.A.C. — Lowrie, Kauffman, Welch, Failing.

ROADS & BRIDGES — Welch, Failing, Harwood, Carlisle.

AIRPORT COMM. — Lowrie.

AUSABLE RIVER WATERSHED COUNCIL — Carlisle.

EMPLOYEE BENEFITS & INSURANCE STUDY — LaGrow, Welch, Failing, Lowrie.

MOTION by Carlisle, second by Lowrie, that the Animal Control Officer be under the jurisdiction of Commissioner LaGrow. Roll Call. Carlisle, Lowrie, Failing, Harwood, LaGrow, Kauffman, Welch—All Aye. Motion Carried.

MOTION by Lowrie, second by Failing, that the commissioners' meetings be held the second Monday of each month from 9 to 5 in the District Court room in the Court House. Roll Call. Lowrie, Failing, Carlisle, Harwood, LaGrow, Kauffman, Welch—All Aye. Motion Carried.

After some general discussion, the Board returned to the Court House for the balance of the meeting.

Mr. Howard Taylor, Director of Emergency Preparedness, met with the Board. In case of disaster, the commissioners should be called to session immediately to work with the Director and the Sheriff under the Emergency Preparedness Program for the county. He explained that there was somewhat of an emergency due to the storm on the weekend of January 11.

Sheriff Hatfield met with the Board and reported on his department. He made several suggestions to the commissioners regarding the parking lot, it being under his direction. He suggested a need for directional signs and painting of lines for diagonal parking. He explained that during unemployment and court days it is very hard to get patrol cars and ambulance out of the yard. Further, the Jail Inspector has advised that a fence is necessary from the corner of the Court House to the edge of the property, for safety reasons. He advised that the Marine van is badly in need of a replacement. He is hopeful that George Erickson will be employed under the Youth Bureau. The Sheriff distributed yearly reports on his department's activities to each commissioner.

Mr. Larry Gust appeared before the Board and gave a briefing on the Department of Public Works. He explained how the commissioners would benefit by having members on this Department, with certain titles and qualifications. He also explained that members should be appointed for 2 and 4 years, to stagger terms.

The Board recessed for lunch and convened at 1:00 p.m.

MOTION by Lowrie, second by Welch, to approve minutes of January 3rd organizational meeting. Roll Call. All Aye. Motion Carried.

Mr. Ervin Richter, Mr. Larry Mattis, and Mr. Harold Johnson, of the Crawford County Road Commission, met with the Board. They asked if Drain Commission funds were appropriated for 1975 and were told that they were. They explained to the Board that many counties now offer life insurance, hospital insurance and retirement for Road Commissioners. They asked if the Board of Commissioners would approve this package plan to be paid out of Road funds. There was general discussion, and the Road Commission will be advised.

Mr. Eugene Zalar spoke to the Board about a rehabilitation program for jail inmates to continue their education and find jobs. Commissioner Welch suggested checking into Northeast Michigan Regional Commission's program, as he felt this would be a duplication of their program.

Mr. Loren Goodale appeared before the Board and advised them that he had 3,300 sq. ft. of office space for rent or lease, which he would agree to remodel to suit their needs. The Chairman appointed a two man committee to look into this building: Joseph LaGrow and Edward Lowrie.

Mr. Willard Bosserman, Cooperative Extension Agent, met with the Board. He extended an invitation to new members to attend the Annual Meeting of Resource Conservation and Development Commission. He asked the Board for a supplemental appropriation to the Extension Budget in the amount of \$700.00 for travel expense for Ron Jones, who works on the 4-H Mainstream program. After some discussion by the Board, the Chairman asked the Clerk to notify Mr. Bosserman to come in to the February meeting to further explain his request.

Mr. Joe Wakeley, County Treasurer, appeared before the Board and gave an accounting of county funds.

Mr. Roy Papenfus, Zoning Director, presented zoning changes, which were tabled until the next meeting. Commissioners Carlisle and Failing will work with the Zoning Department on the Soil Erosion and Sedimentation Act, which will be administered by that department as of January 1, 1975.

MOTION by Welch, second by LaGrow, to amend Sec. 20.05 of the Zoning Ordinance, to read as follows: Any person, firm, corporation or other organization which violates, disobeys, omits, neglects or refuses to comply with, or resists the enforcement of any provision of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine upon conviction not to exceed one hundred (100) dollars and not less than twenty-five (25) dollars with the cost of prosecution, or by imprisonment in the county jail not to exceed ninety (90) days for each offense, or may be both fined and imprisoned at the discretion of the court. Each and every day during which an illegal execution, alteration, maintenance or use continues shall be deemed a separate offense. The imposition of any sentence shall not exempt the offender from compliance with the provisions of this ordinance. Roll Call. All Aye. Motion Carried.

Mr. Leo Lowry, Clerk, presented a survey of the employees' wishes regarding pay periods and the time clock.

MOTION by Welch, second by LaGrow, to pay all county employees for the year 1975 every two weeks. Roll Call. All Aye. Motion Carried.

Mr. Jim A. Rozenek appeared before the Board. He was interested to know if painting jobs for the county were let on bids. He was advised by the Chairman that certain size jobs are let on bids and that this would be considered by the Board.

Commissioner LaGrow reported on Dog Law matters. The Animal Control Officer had turned in his report to Mr. LaGrow, who in turn, reported his activities and his request for information regarding his new vehicle and a part time assistant.

The Board recessed until January 14th at 9:00 a.m.

Regular meeting of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners continued and held in the Court House in the City of Grayling on January 14, 1975.

Meeting called to order by Chairman ProTem Harwood.

Roll Call. Kenneth Carlisle, Rolla Failing, Patrick Harwood, Edward Lowrie, Dean Welch—Present. Fred Kauffman, Joseph LaGrow—Absent.

Leo Lowry, Clerk, reported to the Board that he had attended meetings in Lansing and Atlanta regarding CETA funds. He recommended that a Director be appointed to handle CETA funds for Crawford County. The Director could be hired under CETA funds, and could set it up and administer it.

The Board discussed a copy of a letter written by Prosecuting Attorney Huss to Asst. U.S. Attorney Shelton, to obtain information regarding use of CETA funds and to clarify use of these funds in Crawford County.

County Scheduling Committee for special elections was appointed at this time.

MOTION by Lowrie, second by Failing, to appoint the same County Scheduling Committee as in 1974, for a one year term. Jerry Morford, City Clerk; Beth Weiland, Township Clerk; Robert Smock, School Board; John Huss, By Statute; Leo E. Lowry, By Statute. Roll Call. All Aye. Motion Carried.

CORRESPONDENCE:

1. Notice was read that Cheboygan Co. has withdrawn membership in N.E. Commission.

2. Letter was read from Earl H. Longworth, Chairman of the Board of Commissioners for 6 years, regarding appointments to organizations which he deemed very important to the County: Ausable River Watershed Study Council, Airport Advisory Board, Economic Development Administration, Northeast Michigan Regional Commission, Liaison Person to National Guards.

3. DNR has approved state aid funds for Snowmobile Safety Program, at 3% less than the 1974 reimbursement.

4. Northern Counties Association requested appointment of delegates.

MOTION by Lowrie, second by Failing, to appoint Fred Kauffman, delegate, and Dean Welch, alternate delegate to Northern Counties Association. Roll Call. All Aye. Motion Carried.

5. Northeast Michigan Regional Commission minutes and by laws were turned over to Mr. Welch, who will accompany Mr. Longworth.

6. John Harland offered a letter of resignation from Crawford County Building Authority. The Chairman suggested tabling the appointment of a new Authority until the February Session, in order to look within the various townships.

MOTION by Welch, second by Carlisle, to accept John Harland's resignation from Crawford County Building Authority, and to extend gratitude for his service on this board. Roll Call. All Aye. Motion Carried.

7. Letter from Civil Service Commission regarding County Clerk's salary was read and referred to the Personnel Committee.

8. DNR gave notice of a hearing at South Branch Township Hall on January 20, to secure the views of interested persons concerning dredging the South Branch Ausable River. The DNR will be requested to provide a copy of the hearing transcript.

9. Notice was read of organizational meeting of District Health Department #1 to be held in Lake City on January 21. Mr. Failing will attend.

Mr. Lowrie reported to the Board on Airport matters. Air maps are being printed, and it was suggested that the name of the Airport should be other than military, as this might be a deterrent to private flying which might benefit the community.

MOTION by Failing, second by Carlisle, that Mr. Lowrie be permitted to initiate a name change through the Airport Advisory Board, representing this Board of Commissioners. Roll Call. Failing, Carlisle, Harwood, Lowrie—Aye. Welch—No. Motion Carried.

FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT by Welch. Your Committee on Finance would respectfully submit the following as their report, and do hereby recommend that the several amounts scheduled herein be allowed and that the Clerk of this Board be authorized to draw orders on the County Treasurer for the same.

NAME OF CLAIMANT	CHARACTER OF CLAIM	ALLOWED & REJECTED
Consumers Power Company	Electricity	788.58
General Telephone	Telephone Service	—
Michigan Cons. Gas Co.	Gas Service	544.50
Drs. Dosch & Burkley	Prof. Services	18.50
Doubleday Bros. & Co.	Office Supplies	601.61
Charlotte L. Walter	Transcript	12.15
Curtiss Reporting Co.	Transcripts	253.90
Crawford County Avalanche	Office Supplies	162.45
Michigan Assoc. of Counties	Dues	610.00
Steindler Paper Co.	Janitor Supplies	149.25
Miller Hardware	Equip. & Supplies	101.89
Fochtman Motor Company	Equip. & Supplies	148.38
Cadillac Overall Supply Co.	Linen Service	55.72
Grayling Office Supply	Office Supplies	16.65
Wares Bros.	Off. Sup. & Equip.	239.16
Shell Oil Company	Car Expense	61.98
Total Leonard Inc.	Car Expense	22.00
Charles Fick	Gasoline	893.07
Bill Hart Ford, Inc.	Car Expense	533.74
Motorola, Inc.	Radio Main.	153.30
Tufts Dist. Co., Inc.	Car Expense	86.43
Robert A. Granstr.	Uniform Acces.	13.18
Mac's Drug Store	Film, Sup. & Drugs	148.89
Xerox	Rental & Supplies	567.47
United Co. Officers Assoc.	Dues	135.00
Willard Bosserman	Coop. Ext. Agent Exp.	182.27
Ben Franklin	Janitor Supplies	27.64
Grayling Restaurant	Lime Remover-Jail	10.00
Grayling Oil Company	Car Expense	353.68
Crawford County TV	Equip. & Repair	4.00
Northern Fire & Safety	Equip. & Repair	11.25
CBS Specialties	Equip. & Repair	186.00
Amoco Oil Company	Car Expense	17.05
Mich. Assoc. of Animal Con. Off.	Dues	10.00
Ilene Hatfield	Equip. & Repair	11.64
Larry's Auto Repair	Car Expense	24.24
DeLano Service	Office Supplies	28.93
Grayling State Bank	Safe Deposit Box Rental	6.00
Amoco Oil Company	Gasoline	84.20
Dad's Sporting Goods	Equip. & Repair	2.55
TVMD	Beacon Inspection	20.00
Terry's	Equip. & Supplies	39.90
M & G Enterprises Inc.	Equip. & Supplies	9.00
City of Grayling - Police	Rescue Operation	52.00
Commercial Equipment Co.	Equip. & Repair	83.58
Crawford County Civil Defense	Equip. & Repair	15.12
Mich. Council #55 AFSCME	Office Supplies	13.43
Cornell Agency Inc.	Bond	20.00
Cadillac Janitor Supply	Janitor Supplies	51.51
Sorenson Agency & Assoc., Inc.	Tax Bond	489.00

Mill-Town Refuse Service	Grounds Maintenance	90.00
Betty & Ralph Helsel	Christmas Tree	10.00
Grayling Mercantile Co.	Office Supplies	21.92
U. S. Uniform Co., Inc.	Uniforms	209.15
Automotive Parts & Supply Co.	Equip. & Supplies	28.08
Mich. Commercial Equip.	Janitor Supplies	27.28
Glen's Market	Supplies-Animal Cont.	95.80
The Madison Reproduction Co.	Microfilm Supplies	418.55
Pitney Bowes	Equip. Rental	240.00
East Mich. Tourist Assoc.	Dues	1,200.00
Grayling Reg. Chamber of Com.	Dues	2,500.00
Mich. State Assoc. of Co. Clerks	Dues	25.00
Mich. Assoc. of Counties	Dues	21.00
N. Cent. Mich. Ment. H. Assoc.	Allocation	2,125.00
Otsego County	Oper. Expenses	872.01
Mich. Dept. of Civil Service	Classification Study	1,885.19
Larry Hunter	Equip. Dir. Exp.	51.75
Carl Miller	Appraiser Exp.	52.44
Gambles	Supplies	2.79
Mac's Drug Store	Equip. & Supplies	62.60
Grayling Office Supply	Supplies	33.10
Fochtman Motor Company	Equip. & Supplies	13.15
World Camera & Sound	Equipment	24.96
Allyn and Bacon, Inc.	Equipment	20.45
Arthur H. Thomas Co.	Equip. & Supplies	1,276.53
Sadtler Research Lab., Inc.	Equipment	254.00
Sigma Chemical Co.	Equip. & Supplies	50.30
Do It Now Foundation	Supplies	5.00
Marshall and Swift Pub. Co.	Subscription	45.00
City of Grayling	Parcel A	353.60
West Publishing Company	Office Supplies	9.00
Joe Durga	Snowplowing	245.00
Hoerl's Decorating Shop	Bldg. Maintenance	43.33
Edith M. Lowry	Clerical	98.84
Leo E. Lowry	Clerk's Expenses	155.00
E. W. Hiltunen	Dues-Treasurer	25.00
NB Jackets Company	Office Supplies	120.41
Donna E. Donmyer	Dues-Reg. of Deeds	20.00
Grayling Electric & Heating Co.	Equip. Installation	157.44
Roy Papenfus	Zon. & Bldg. Ins. Exp.	109.69
Joyce Easterly	Matron	12.50
C.C.R.C. - B. Fowler	Airport Expense	83.18
Dept. of Military Affairs	Airport Expense	82.37
Federal Surplus Property Sec.	Civil Defense	40.04
IBM	Equip. Repair	77.50

MOTION by Welch, second by Lowrie, that the report of the Finance Committee be accepted and approved. Welch, Lowrie, Carlisle, Failing, Harwood—All Aye. Motion Carried.

Mr. Howard Campbell, of the Manpower Service, and James Keighley, Director of Social Services appeared before the Board in regard to the urgent need for more office space for the Department of Social Services. Mr. Campbell also made a request for clerical help under CETA funds.

MOTION by Welch, second by Carlisle, to submit the following resolution in protest of the removal of two dams in Crawford County, and send copies to the appropriate people. Roll Call. All Aye. Motion Carried.

WHEREAS, it has been brought to the attention of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners that the dam at business loop I-75 and the old power dam is being considered a detriment to trout fishing by the fish division of the DNR and that the fish division has recommended removal of the two dams

WHEREAS, these two dams have for many years been an attraction and a great help to the water table in Crawford County, also in maintaining a steady water level of the river.

HEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Crawford County Board of Commissioners go on record as opposing the removal of the two dams in Crawford County.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be mailed to our Senators and Representatives, to the Governor of the State, and to the Department of Natural Resources.

MOTION by Welch, second by Carlisle, to give approval to Crawford County Road Commission's tentative Retirement, Blue Cross and Life Insurance package plan submitted to this Board at this session. Roll Call. Welch, Carlisle, Failing—Aye. Harwood, Lowrie—No. Motion Carried.

The Bills of the several commissioners were allowed at this time.

Kenneth Carlisle	100.00
Rolla Failing	100.00
Pat Harwood	100.00
Joseph A. LaGrow	50.00
Edward Lowrie	100.00
Dean Welch	340.00

The Board recessed at 12:30 p.m. subject to the call of the Chairman.

Patrick Harwood, Chairman ProTem
Leo E. Lowry, Clerk

Road Commission Minutes

January 17, 1975

A regular meeting of the Crawford County Board of Road Commissioners held in their office in Grayling, Chairman Johnson presiding. Members present, Commissioners Harold T. Johnson and Lawrence Mattis, and Engineer Manager John M. Keir. Absent, Commissioner Ervin E. Richter.

The minutes of the last regular and special meetings were read. A motion was made by Commissioner Mattis, supported by Comm. Johnson, that the minutes be approved as read. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Bill Sorenson appeared before the Board in regard to supplementary coverage for the individual Board members.

A review was made of the Construction program for 1975-1976, to be submitted to the Local Government section of the Michigan Department of State Highways and Transportation.

A discussion was held on a proposed change of intersection between M-18 in Crawford County and County Road 602 in Roscommon County, to eliminate a Y-type intersection.

Engineer Manager Keir reported to the Board that radios have now been installed in all the large blade trucks.

Following the business meeting a motion was made and supported to adjourn. All voting in favor, motion carried, meeting adjourned.

/s/ Harold T. Johnson, Chairman
/s/ Florence S. Douglas, Secretary

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Senior Citizen Center

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January 31st through February 7th

Friday, January 31
10:00 - Drapery Making - Josi Wiles, instructor. Bus leaves Center at 9:15 a.m. for Kirtland.
12:00 - Dinner (soup, cabbage salad, fish or hamburger, hash browns, stewed tomatoes, garlic bread, cookies w/ice cream).
12:30 - Movies.
1:00 - Photography - Bus leaves Center at 12:15 for Kirtland.
7:30 - Cards.

Sunday, February 2
7:30 p.m. - Bingo at the Center - Everyone 18 years of age and older welcome.

Monday, February 3
10:00 - Practical Politics with Joe Wakeley. Bus leaves Center at 9:15 a.m. for Kirtland.
12:00 - Dinner (soup, 5 cup salad, Salisbury steak w/mushroom gravy, mashed potatoes, asparagus, muffin, nutty gingerbread).
12:30 - Bingo.
1:00 - Volunteerism - Nellie Taylor and Lora Gould. Bus leaves Center at 12:15 for Kirtland.

Tuesday, February 4
9:30 - Crafts.
10:00 - Social Dancing - Elaine Jansen, instructor. Bus leaves Center at 9:15 for Kirtland.
12:00 - Crawford County Council on Aging Board.
12:00 - Dinner (juice, lettuce salad, roast beef, baked potato, glazed carrots, roll, pineapple pudding).
12:30 - Religious Discussion.
1:00 - Lingerie sewing - Gwen Johnson, instructor. Bus leaves Center at 12:15 for Kirtland.

Wednesday, February 5
9:00 - Tops.
9:30 - Crafts.
10:00 - Death & Dying Class, Rev. Paul Frederick. Bus leaves Center at 9:15 a.m. for Kirtland.

12:00 - Dinner (soup, creamy pear salad, Texas hash, buttered corn, whole wheat bread, lazy daisy cake).
12:30 - Speaker - James Keighley, Director of Social Services. Everyone welcome.
1:00 - Upholstery - Tom Little, instructor. Bus leaves Center at 12:15 p.m. for Kirtland.

1:00 - Decoupage - Mildred Ziegler, instructor. Bus leaves Center at 12:15 for Kirtland.
7:30 - Friendly Visitor Class (orientation training session, open to everyone).

Thursday, February 6
9:00 to 3:00 - Internal Revenue Dept. classes at Center - open to the public.
9:30 - Crafts.
10:00 to 3:00 - Health Clinic.
12:00 - Dinner (juice, tossed salad, barbecued chicken, rice, mixed vegetables, roll, cookie & ice cream).

12:30 - Cards.
1:00 - General sewing - Gwen Johnson, instructor. Bus leaves Center at 12:15 for Kirtland.
1:00 - Bowling, Legion Lanes.

Friday, February 7
9:00 - Internal Revenue Dept. class at Center - open to the public.
10:00 - Drapery Making - Josi Wiles, instructor. Bus leaves Center at 9:15 for Kirtland.

12:00 - Dinner (soup, cabbage salad, meat loaf, au gratin potatoes, green beans, bread, deep dish apple pie).
12:30 - Movies.
1:00 - Upholstery - Tom Little, instructor. Bus leaves Center at 12:15 for Kirtland.

7:30 - Cards.
Reservations must be in for the Cocoa Beach, Florida trip. Call the Center at 348-9314.

Notice Of Hearing

Notice is hereby given that a letter signed by a freeholder of real estate in the 6th Addition to Portage Lake Park, Blocks 6 & 7, was filed with the Board of Crawford County Road Commissioners, requesting abandonment of Hunters Place, a platted street, from Dick's Drive (Eagle Point Road) to the right of way of M-72, for the following reasons:

The road is not a developed road and will not be developed for highway purposes, and

Access to the property is now provided by M-72, Dick's Drive, My Own Avenue and Maybelle Place.

Notice is hereby given that a Hearing will be held on said request,

Frederic Business Association

The Frederic Business Association met last Wednesday. We discussed the Business Association's role in this year's Homecoming.

We would like to extend a special invitation to all Frederic businesses to become members of the Association.

Harold Mertes led a discussion on a Planning Committee for Frederic. We also held a discussion on the services the businesses provide for Frederic and the surrounding area.

There will be more discussion on these 2 subjects at our next meeting. The date is February 5th at 8 p.m. at the Frederic Sportsman's Club. Be sure to come!

Merna Nowberry

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Bear Mt. Potluck

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year anniversary, a great success. We hope to see as many families as possible.

Looks like the old days at Bear Mountain with plenty of kids, low rates, excellent skiing and loads of volunteers keeping the whole thing open. Below are some of the local youngsters taking advantage of a new snow fall.



Hospital News

The following are among the patients at Mercy Hospital this week: Herbert Ackner, Crystal Brown, Mary Capo, Anna Gross, Joyce Hawkins, Arthur Hoffman, Patricia Schultz, Hattie Worden and Jerry Wright, all of Grayling; Ellen Davis of Frederic; Fred Kauffman and Laura Konvicka of Roscommon.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vollmer of Grayling on January 21, a daughter, Samantha Jane, weighing 4 lbs. 13 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Gorman of Grayling are the proud parents of a son, Chad Michael, born January 24 and weighing 7 lbs.

A son, Joshua Edward, was born to Mr. and Mrs. David Wyss of Grayling on January 24, weighing 6 lbs. 14 ozs.

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12 Crawford County Avalanche

Thursday, January 30, 1975

Snowmobile Safety Class At New High School Scheduled

With the co-operation of Howard Taylor the Crawford County Sheriff Department will hold a snowmobile safety class for all youngsters 12 years old or older.

The class will begin on February 3, 1975 and run through Friday, February 7th. Time will be from 3:30 p.m. to 4:50 p.m. each day. The class will be held at the new High School on Old 27.

The safety class will cover the safe operation of a snowmobile, trail emergencies and Michigan law relating to snowmobiles. The class is aimed at those youngsters who need to earn the certificate in order to ride a snowmobile without parent supervision, however, all adults are encouraged to attend.

Anyone interested in attending should contact the Crawford County Sheriff Department Snowmobile Division at 348-6341. The class is free of charge!

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